1952

# ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OF

# BOSCAWEN

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 31, 1952

# Annual Reports

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

# Town of Boscawen

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, TOWN CLERK
HIGHWAY AGENTS, SCHOOL BOARD,
LIBRARY TRUSTEES AND AUDITORS

FOR THE

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1952

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# TOWN OFFICERS

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**Moderator**
CECIL P. GRIMES

**Selectmen**
ROBERT L. JOHNSON
CLYDE G. FAIRBANKS
LEWIS C. SHAW

Resigned May 1, 1953

**Representative to General Court**
HAROLD L. HOLMES

**Town Clerk**
GEORGE VICTOR FLINT

**Treasurer**
HAROLD L. HOLMES

**Collector of Taxes**
AUGUSTUS CROVO

**Overseer of the Poor**
JOHN L. EMERSON

**Judge**
JOHN L. EMERSON

**Auditors**
WALLTER E. MARSHALL ALICE F. KENEVAL

**Supervisors of the Check-List**
GEORGE D. KENEVAL CHARLES L. FOOTE
LAWRENCE CONNOR

**Board of Education**
CHARLES L. FOOTE IYLA BARTLETT
RUBY WOODBURY

**Board of Health**

LEON E. NORRIS

**Police Officers**

GEORGE BAILEY HIBBARD LEON E. NORRIS
ROY FREDETTE

**Special Officer**

ORRIE J. TINKER

**Library Trustees**

ELIZABETH HALL EDDY TANDY
WALTER E. HAZEN DOROTHY SANBORN
ETHEL M. COLBY ISABEL GRIMES

**Fire Warden**

ARTHUR E. BARTLETT

**Deputy Fire Wardens**

ROBERT COLBY THOMAS E. RUSSELL, Jr.
JAMES S. ADAMS ARTHUR BOYCE

**Weighers of Hay**

ROGER C. SANBORN ABBOTT LAWRENCE
RALPH PILLSBURY CLYDE G. FAIRBANKS
AUGUSTUS CROUD

**Surveyors of Lumber**

ABBOTT LAWRENCE CLYDE G. FAIRBANKS
GEORGE RAYMOND ARTHUR E. BARTLETT
MAURICE E. HOSMER

**Fence Viewers**

STANLEY LEMERIS JESSE BRALEY

**Trustees of Trust Funds**

VIRA HOLMES
~~MARION G. ALEXANDER~~ GUY H HUBBARD
WILLARD D. RAND

### Budget Committee

| | |
|---|---|
| CECIL P. GRIMES | Term Expires 1952 |
| JOSEPH G. COLBY | Term Expires 1952 |
| EDDY TANDY | Term Expires 1953 |
| JESSE C. BRALEY | Term Expires 1953 |
| HARRY CARTER | Term Expires 1954 |
| CHARLES FRENCH | Term Expires 1954 |

### Road Agent

JESSE C. BRALEY

### Civil Defense Director

ALLEN RICHARDSON, JR.

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## FIRE DEPARTMENTS

### Much-I-Do Company

Chief—HARRY W. CARTER
Captain—ARTHUR E. BARTLETT
Lieutenant—JAMES S. ADAMS
Clerk—HARLAND BARTLETT
Regulars—HARRY HURD, LEON NORRIS, ROBERT COLBY, HERVEY FOLSOM, ROGER SANBORN, THOMAS E. RUSSELL, JR..
Subs—BERNARD DAVIS, CHARLES BROWN, LINCOLN H. ADAMS, FRED CARR, CONNIE EGOUNIS, LENNART SWENSON

### Torrent Engine No. 1

Chief—LAWRENCE A. YOUNG
Captain—ARTHUR BOYCE
Lieutenant—NELSON MERCHANT
Clerk—NORMAN PERKINS
Regulars—WILFRED LAFOND, JOSEPH LaBONTE, JR., CHESTER RAND, LOUIS RAYNO, HARRY YOUNG, ORRIE J. TINKER, ARTHUR MILLER, ROBERT DROUGHT, FRED SUPRY.
Subs—JOSEPH LaBONTE, JR., IRVING YORK, NICK COSTA

# WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

## The State of New Hampshire

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(L. S.)

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Boscawen in the county of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Boscawen on Tuesday, the tenth day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:*

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

a. Town Officers' Salaries.
b. Town Officers' Expenses.
c. Election and Registration.
d. Expenses of Town Hall and Other Buildings.
e. Police Department.
f. Fire Department.
g. Health Department.
h. Vital Statistics.
i. Sewer Maintenance.
j. Town Dump and Rubbish Removal.
k. Highways (Summer and Winter).
l. Street Lighting.
m. Town Road Aid.
n. Libraries.
o. Town Poor and Old Age Assistance.
p. Cemeteries.
p. Memorial Day and Other Celebrations.

r. Pruning Shade Trees.
s. Spraying Shade Trees.
t. Interest.
u. Appropriation for Concord Hospital.
v. Sidewalk Maintenance.
w. Payment on Principal and Interest on New Fire Engine Bonds.
x. Insurance.

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $329.94 for Town Road Aid, this sum to be matched by a state contribution of $2,109.61

4. To see if the Town will vote to empower the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to meet current expenses of the Town until the taxes are collected and paid into the Treasury.

5. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to dispose of the old Cosmopolitan and Model T fire trucks now retired.

6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell, trade or dispose of the old P. & H. power shovel, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new dump truck and for such purpose to appropriate a sum not exceeding $5,000.00; and to authorize the Selectmen to borrow not exceeding $5,000.00 on serial notes under and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72, of the Revised Laws and any amendments thereto; and to further authorize the Selectmen to determine the time and place of payment and rate of interest on said notes and to take such action as may be necessary to the issuance thereof.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the support of the Franklin Hospital and pass any vote relating thereto.

9. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to transfer any unexpended balance of money from one appropriation to another.

10. By request of Don Braley and others.

To see if the Town will vote to accept the two streets (30 feet wide) located at the ends of Gage Street and Academy Street, and to run approximately 400 feet in length.

11. To see if the Town will accept the report of the Special Committee of sewers and pass any vote relating thereto.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

* Business meeting for appropriations ONLY, will be called at 7 o'clock in the evening.

ROBERT L. JOHNSON,
CLYDE G. FAIRBANKS,
LEWIS C. SHAW,
*Selectmen of Boscawen.*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ROBERT L. JOHNSON,
CLYDE G. FAIRBANKS,
LEWIS C. SHAW,
*Selectmen of Boscawen.*

# BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF BOSCAWEN

## 1953

| | |
|---|---|
| Officers' Salaries | $2,200.00 |
| Officers' Expenses | 1,300.00 |
| Election and Registration | 50.00 |
| Town Hall and Other Buildings | 1,550.00 |
| Police Department | 250.00 |
| Fire Department | 3,350.00 |
| Health Department | 150.00 |
| Vital Statistics | 50.00 |
| Sewer Maintenance | 600.00 |
| Town Dump and Rubbish Disposal | 1,400.00 |
| Highways (Summer and Winter) | 15,000.00 |
| Street Lighting | 2,250.00 |
| Town Road Aid | 329.94 |
| Libraries | 1,715.00 |
| Town Poor and Old Age Assistance | 6,500.00 |
| Cemeteries | 400.00 |
| Memorial Day and Other Celebrations | 135.00 |
| Pruning Shade Trees | 300.00 |
| Spraying Shade Trees | 250.00 |
| Interest | 500.00 |
| Appropriation for Concord Hospital | 738.00 |
| Sidewalk Maintenance | 500.00 |
| Payment on Principal and Interest on New Fire Engine Bonds | 1,300.00 |
| Insurance | 1,150.00 |

# INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF BOSCAWEN
## 1952

| | |
|---|---|
| Land and Buildings, exclusive of Growing Wood and Timber | $1,490,189.00 |
| Electric Plants | 30,331.00 |
| Horses—28 | 2,825.00 |
| Cows—201 | 42,395.00 |
| Other Neat Stock—9 | 2,000.00 |
| Sheep and Goats—3 | 30.00 |
| Hogs—17 | 1,020.00 |
| Fowls—9,275 | 9,285.00 |
| Trailer | 750.00 |
| Dry Kiln | 4,000.00 |
| Road Machinery | 2,400.00 |
| Portable Mills—3 | 5,200.00 |
| Wood and Lumber | 66,585.00 |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks | 24,080.00 |
| Stock in Trade | 119,180.00 |
| Mills and Machinery | 270,475.00 |
| Total gross valuation before exemptions | $$2,070,745.00 |
| Less Soldiers' Exemptions | 106,750.00 |
| Net valuation, less exemptions | $1,963,995.00 |
| Poll Taxes @ $2.00 | $1,338.00 |
| Net Bank Stock Taxes | 20.00 |

## STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED—1952

| | |
|---|---|
| Town Officers' Salaries | $2,200.00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 1,350.00 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 200.00 |
| Town Hall and Other Buildings | 1,400.00 |
| Police Department | 250.00 |
| Fire Department | 3,370.00 |
| Health Department | 150.00 |
| Dump and Garbage Disposal | 1,000.00 |
| Vital Statistics | 50.00 |
| Town Road Aid | 391.43 |
| Town Highway Maintenance | 12,000.00 |
| Pruning Trees | 300.00 |
| Spraying Trees | 250.00 |
| Sidewalk Maintenance | 250.00 |
| Insurance | 900.00 |
| Sidewalk Construction | 100.00 |
| Street Lighting | 2,350.00 |
| Sewers | 400.00 |
| Libraries | 1,400.00 |
| Old Age Assistance and Town Poor | 7,000.00 |
| Memorial Day and Other Celebrations | 135.00 |
| Cemeteries | 400.00 |
| Wooden Covered Bridge | 3,000.00 |
| Interest | 500.00 |
| Payment on New Fire Engine and Interest | 1,300.00 |
| County Tax | 8,504.78 |
| School Appropriation | 57,518.55 |
| Total Town and School Appropriations | $106,669.76 |

## 1952 NET ASSESSED VALUATION

| | |
|---|---|
| Net Assessed Valuation | $1,963,995.00 |
| Tax Committed to Tax Collector: | |
| Property Taxes | $97,850.03 |
| Poll Taxes | 1,338.00 |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 20.00 |
| Precinct Taxes | 19,252.37 |
| | $118,460.40 |

## TAX RATE

| | |
|---|---|
| Town | $2.06 |
| Precinct | 1.04 |
| School | 2.90 |
| | $6.00 |

## AUDITORS' REPORT

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Boscawen for the year 1952, certify that we have examined, checked, and verified the records and accounts of the Selectmen, Tax Collector, Treasurer and Town Clerk and find them correct and properly vouched.

We have also examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Trust Funds, the Treasurer of Library Trustees and the Municipal Court records and find them correct.

WALTER E. MARSHALL,
ALICE F. KENEVAL,
*Auditors.*

## TOWN OF BOSCAWEN — ASSETS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1952 | $14,381.94 | |
| Due from State: | | |
| Wood and Timber | 543.79 | |
| Bounties | 58.00 | |
| Due from State, T. R. A. Joint Highway Acct. | 329.94 | |
| Other bills due Town: | | |
| Ezekiel Webster Grange | 450.00 | |
| George Gilbert | 16.00 | |
| Clifton Brown | 56.00 | |
| Alice Dukette | 53.25 | |
| Foster Lawrence | 20.00 | |
| Fred Dukette | 20.00 | |
| A. Boyce | 10.00 | |
| P. H. Sanborn | 80.00 | |
| Penacook-Boscawen Water Precinct | 353.12 | |
| Due from Collector: | | |
| Balance Head Tax | 1,035.00 | |
| Balance Property tax | 31,114.18 | |
| Balance Polls | 392.00 | |
| 1951—Uncollected Polls | 30.00 | |
| 1951—Uncollected Head tax | 50.00 | |
| 1951—Unredeemed taxes | 1,014.01 | |
| | | $50,006.23 |
| Excess of liabilities over assets | | 9,092.67 |
| Grand Total | | $59,098.90 |
| Net Debt, Dec. 31, 1952 | | $9,092.90 |

## TOWN OF BOSCAWEN — LIABILITIES

### Accounts owed by the Town

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bills outstanding | $394.06 | |
| 1944 Sewer appropriation balance | 725.00 | |
| 1949 Tank Truck appropriation balance | 631.33 | |
| T. R. A. State Joint Highway Acct. | 329.94 | |
| 1950 Civil Defense Program | 500.00 | |
| Due Schools | 42,518.55 | |
| New Fire Engine Bonds, balance | 14,000.00 | |
| Total Liabilities | | $59,098.90 |

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| | |
|---|---|
| Town Hall and Buildings | $7,500.00 |
| Furniture | 600.00 |
| Libraries, Land and Buildings | 20,000.00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 300.00 |
| Police Department, Land and Buildings | 100.00 |
| Equipment | 50.00 |
| Fire Department, Land and Buildings | 5,000.00 |
| Equipment | 20,000.00 |
| Highway Department, Land and Buildings | 500.00 |
| Equipment | 12,179.90 |
| Material and Supplies | 200.00 |
| Schools, Land and Buildings | 18,200.00 |
| Equipment | 1,850.00 |
| Material and Supplies | 100.00 |
| Gravel Bank | 50.00 |
| Jules LeBlanc property | 125.00 |
| R. Barnard Lot | 300.00 |
| John Weir Farm | 1,000.00 |
| | $88,044.90 |

# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

From Jan. 1, 1952 to Dec. 31, 1952

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Jan. 1, 1952 | 1951 Auto Permits—21 | $35.26 |
| Jan. 1, 1952 | Auto Permits—843 | 4,782.34 |
| Jan. 1, 1953 | Auto Permits—4 | 90.87 |
| | | $4,908.47 |
| Paid to Treasurer | | 4,907.52 |
| Balance Due | | $ .95 |
| Dog Licenses—120 | | $248.00 |
| Paid to Treasurer | | 246.00 |
| Balance Due | | $ 2.00 |
| Filing Fee | | $9.00 |
| Total Paid to Treasurer | | $5,162.52 |

GEORGE V. FLINT,
*Town Clerk.*

# TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

## Receipts

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand January, 1952 | | $7,223.97 |
| Victor C. Boccia, Tax Collector— | | |
| 1948-1949—Redeemed Tax | 4.00 | |
| Costs | .84 | |
| | | 4.84 |
| 1950—Poll Taxes | 10.00 | |
| Interest | 2.92 | |
| Redeemed Taxes | 470.29 | |
| Interest and Costs | 69.17 | |
| | | 552.38 |
| 1951—Poll Taxes | $442.00 | |
| Property Taxes | 23,775.47 | |
| Interest | 879.85 | |
| Head Tax, due town | 5.00 | |
| Penalty | .50 | |
| Yield Tax | 507.90 | |
| Redeemed Taxes | 98.95 | |
| Costs | 1.88 | |
| Head Taxes | 895.00 | |
| Penalties | 62.50 | |
| | | 26,669.05 |
| Augustus Crovo, Tax Collector— | | |
| 1950—Poll Tax | $2.00 | |
| Interest | .24 | |
| | | 2.24 |
| 1951—Poll Taxes | $4.00 | |
| Interest | .21 | |
| Redeemed Taxes | 158.33 | |
| Costs & Interest | 3.64 | |
| | | 166.18 |

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|---|---|---|
| 1952—Head Taxes | $3,195.00 | |
| Penalties | 14.00 | |
| Poll Taxes | 962.00 | |
| Property Taxes | 66,783.79 | |
| Interest | 1.60 | |
| National Bank Stock Tax | 20.00 | |
| | | 70,976.39 |
| Loans—Valley Trust Co. | | 66,000.00 |
| George V. Flint, Town Clerk— | | |
| Car Tax | $4,907.52 | |
| Dog Tax | 246.00 | |
| Filing Fee | 9.00 | |
| | | 5,162.52 |
| State of New Hampshire— | | |
| Forest Fire School | $17.40 | |
| Loss of Taxes | 149.81 | |
| Interest & Dividends | 1,045.29 | |
| Savings Bank Tax | 503.79 | |
| Railroad Tax | 953.94 | |
| Gas Road Toll | 273.34 | |
| Old Age Assistance, refund | 86.99 | |
| T.R.A. Payroll refund | 783.25 | |
| | | 3,813.81 |
| Municipal Court— | | 1,352.70 |
| Miscellaneous— | | |
| City of Franklin | $60.00 | |
| Farmers Exchange | 73.20 | |
| H. J. Sevigney | 231.00 | |
| Sale of Histories | 17.25 | |
| Pistol Permits | 4.00 | |
| F. Egounis, refund on 2 oil drums | 8.00 | |
| J. Creaser | 112.50 | |
| Guy Hubbard | 25.00 | |
| Water Hazen | 20.00 | |

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|---|---|---|
| State of N. H., use of Mack truck | 81.00 | |
| Sale of Cemetery lot | 25.00 | |
| Town of Canterbury, truck hire | 76.50 | |
| Lora Olsen | 20.00 | |
| Richard Davis, tires | 120.00 | |
| K. Shibles, bulldozer | 16.00 | |
| McComber, oiling | 27.00 | |
| Larry's Market, gravel | 9.25 | |
| L. Pietraallo | 49.80 | |
| J. L. Emerson | 19.32 | |
| J. C. Braley, unexpended balance | 102.91 | |
| Rent of Hall | 36.00 | |
| Congregational Church | 300.00 | |
| E. Bassett | 8.00 | |
| Joseph G. Colby | 211.60 | |
| Penacook-Boscawen Water Precinct | 50.00 | |
| Refund Concord Lumber Co. | 38.12 | |
| | | 1,741.55 |
| | | $183,665.63 |
| Less Orders Drawn—27-421 | | 169,283.69 |
| Balance on Hand | | $14,381.94 |

HAROLD L. HOLMES,
*Treasurer.*

# DETAILED STATEMENT

## General Government

### Town Officers' Salaries

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Alice F. Keneval, Auditor | $40.00 | |
| Walter E. Marshall, Auditor | 40.00 | |
| Est. Ralph F. Sweatt, Supervisor | 25.00 | |
| George D. Keneval, Supervisor | 25.00 | |
| Charles L. Foote, Supervisor | 25.00 | |
| Cecil P. Grimes, Moderator | 20.00 | |
| George V. Flint, Town Clerk | 25.00 | |
| Harold L. Holmes, Town Treasurer | 100.00 | |
| Victor C. Boccia, ¾ yr. Collector | 333.00 | |
| Augustus Crovo, ¼ yr. Collector | 67.00 | |
| Robert L. Johnson, Selectman | 400.00 | |
| Clyde G. Fairbanks, Selectman | 300.00 | |
| Lewis C. Shaw, Selectman | 200.00 | |
| John L. Emerson, Judge of Court | 400.00 | |
| John L. Emerson, Overseer of Poor | 200.00 | |
| | | $2,200.00 |

### Town Officers' Expenses

| | |
|---|---|
| N. H. Assessors' Association | $2.00 |
| N. H. Tax Collectors' Association | 3.00 |
| N. H. Town Clerk' Association | 2.00 |
| Elmwood Diner, meals for officers | 44.25 |
| R. P. Johnson, refund | 1.75 |
| Kearsarge Tel. Co., service | 18.10 |
| N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., service | 53.45 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies | 29.15 |
| P. W. Chambers, supplies | 39.00 |
| Katherine Crowley, mortgage returns | 19.35 |
| Wheeler & Clark | 1.50 |
| V. C. Boccia, refund | 22.51 |

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|---|---|---|
| G. V. Flint, refund | 25.00 | |
| E. C. Eastman & Co., supplies | 19.92 | |
| L. C. Shaw, Secretary and refunds | 111.25 | |
| Guy H. Hubbard, officers bonds | 120.96 | |
| C. P. Egounis, officers bonds | 107.66 | |
| Hazen Printing Co., reports and printing | 664.17 | |
| Constance Griffin | 10.00 | |
| | | $1,295.02 |

Election and Registration

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Elmer S. Ellsworth, Election Officer | $5.00 | |
| Amos Merchant, Election Officer | 5.00 | |
| F. Duquette, Election Officer | 5.00 | |
| J. C. Braley, Election Officer | 10.00 | |
| J. S. Adams, Election Officer | 15.00 | |
| O. J. Tinker, Election Officer | 10.00 | |
| D. Webster, Election Officer | 20.00 | |
| Natt Flagg, Election Officer | 20.00 | |
| E. J. Perry, meals | 27.30 | |
| | | $117.30 |

Town Hall and Other Buildings

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| J. C. Roy, repairs | $7.60 | |
| Eisenhaur's Hardware, repairs | 7.81 | |
| Egounis' Store, supplies | 9.40 | |
| Kearsarge Tel. Co., service | 15.90 | |
| Penacook-Boscawen, water | 49.00 | |
| Concord Electric Co., lights | 134.44 | |
| Robert A. Lawrence, janitor | 475.00 | |
| Tavern Garage, fuel oil | 1,085.55 | |
| | | $1,784.70 |

Police Department

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| O. J. Tinker | $6.00 | |
| N. E. Tel. & Tel. | 31.35 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Roy Fredette | 70.00 | |
| G. Bailey Hibbard | 43.15 | |
| Leon E. Norris | 152.38 | |
| | | $302.88 |

## Fire Departments

### Torrent Engine No. 1

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Penacook-Boscawen Precinct, water | $16.50 | |
| Scotty's Radio, repairs | 20.69 | |
| Penacook Cash Mkt., supplies | 5.02 | |
| G. A. Lambert, labor | 10.00 | |
| Fire Protection Co., equipment | 26.48 | |
| Don Braley, supplies | 20.00 | |
| Holmes Socony Co., supplies | 15.02 | |
| Concord Electric Co., lights | 71.30 | |
| Tavern Garage, fuel oil | 171.13 | |
| N. E. Tel. & Tel., service | 206.90 | |
| H. J. Lovell Co., equipment | 155.00 | |
| Salaries | 1,050.00 | |
| | | $1,768.04 |

### Much-I-Do Hose Company

| | |
|---|---|
| Penacook-Boscawen Precinct, water | $13.00 |
| L. H. Adams, lettering new truck | 10.50 |
| Ray Road Machine Co., equipment | 14.70 |
| Laugher's General Store, supplies | .72 |
| H. Lakin, supplies | 6.19 |
| Carter's Esso Station, supplies | 24.25 |
| Holmes Socony Station, supplies | 5.35 |
| Kearsarge Tel. Co., service | 10.75 |
| P. W. Chambers, supplies | 20.97 |
| Concord Electric Co., lights | 46.85 |
| Scotty's Radio, supplies | 53.15 |
| R. A. Lawrence, janitor | 40.00 |
| W. Carr, supplies | 52.47 |

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|---|---|---|
| Sanel Auto Co., charger | 50.00 | |
| Guy H. Hubbard, insurance | 167.00 | |
| Tavern Garage, fuel oil | 349.67 | |
| Justin McCarthy, equipment | 745.28 | |
| Salaries | 750.00 | |
| | | $2,360.85 |

Bounties

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Robert L. Johnson | $4.50 | |
| Clyde G. Fairbanks | 4.25 | |
| Lewis C. Shaw | 16.50 | |
| | | $25.25 |

Forest Fire Warden and Truck

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Arthur E. Bartlett, school and expense | $22.12 | |
| Arthur E. Bartlett, forest fires | 23.25 | |
| Repairs and equipment for truck | 618.65 | |
| | | $664.02 |

Sewer Maintenance

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| City of Concord, cleaning sewer | 43.49 | |
| LeFleur's Calso Station, supplies | 1.44 | |
| State of N. H., work on sewer | 46.00 | |
| A. Knowlton, labor | 3.60 | |
| E. Champagne, labor | 1.80 | |
| H. Hollins, labor | 31.90 | |
| L. Garland, labor | 32.30 | |
| E. Couch, labor | 44.00 | |
| E. H. Dunbar, labor | 142.80 | |
| E. Gardner, labor | 106.55 | |
| O. J. Tinker, labor | 215.00 | |
| J. C. Braley, labor | 279.50 | |
| | | $948.38 |

Sewer Construction

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| J. C. Braley | $9.10 | |
| E. H. Dunbar | 7.00 | |
| | $16.10 | |

Sidewalk Construction

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| J. C. Braley | $22.10 | |
| E. Gardner | 17.60 | |
| O. J. Tinker | 18.70 | |
| E. Dunbar | 9.00 | |
| A. Jordan | 4.00 | |
| | | $71.40 |

Sidewalk Maintenance

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| J. C. Braley | $29.90 | |
| E. Gardner | 19.55 | |
| O. J. Tinker | 21.71 | |
| E. H. Dunbar | 141.70 | |
| L. Garland | 27.90 | |
| Harry Hurd | 2.70 | |
| Fred Miller | 2.70 | |
| | | $246.16 |

Rubbish

| | |
|---|---|
| Harvey Hollins | $30.80 |
| Jerry Miller | 12 00 |
| J. Braley, Jr. | 9.00 |
| Mr. Tewksbury | 23.40 |
| D. Webster | 13.00 |
| E. Couch | 68.00 |
| A. Jordan | 121.10 |
| L. Garland | 36.00 |
| Harry Hurd | 62.10 |
| E. Champagne | 151.80 |
| Fred Miller | 120.50 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| J. C. Braley | 263.90 | |
| E. Gardner | 158.10 | |
| O. J. Tinker | 204.60 | |
| E. Dunbar | 204.04 | |
| | | $1,478.34 |

## Town Highway Maintenance

| | |
|---|---|
| Jesse C. Braley, Road Agent | $2,238.50 |
| O. J. Tinker, labor | 1,431.90 |
| E. H. Dunbar, labor | 1,186.20 |
| Everett Gardner, labor | 1,121.75 |
| Earl Couch, labor | 361.70 |
| L. P. Gardner, labor | 267.30 |
| A. Jordan, labor | 114.20 |
| H. Dimond, labor | 99.00 |
| Harry Hurd, labor | 62.80 |
| Fred Miller, labor | 23.40 |
| Jesse Braley, Jr., labor | 80.90 |
| Existe Champagne, labor | 15.30 |
| N. Dennis, labor | 36.00 |
| H. Hollins, labor | 23.75 |
| L. Woodbury, labor | 16.00 |
| Thompson & Hoague, supplies | 15.80 |
| George Sanborn, gravel | 26.25 |
| P. W. Chambers, supplies | 1.00 |
| Public Works and Highway, supplies | 33.57 |
| Prison Industries, supplies | 28.80 |
| Don Braley, supplies | 10.00 |
| Ray Road Machinery Co., repairs | 25.89 |
| George H. Atkinson, repairs | 3.00 |
| State of New Hampshire, repairs | 27.72 |
| Concord Auto Top Co., repairs | 35.88 |
| Kenney's Garage, supplies | 82.28 |
| Merrimack Farmer's Exchange, salt | 231.80 |
| Eisenhaur's Hardware, supplies | 93.14 |
| A. B. Nelson, supplies | 178.00 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Concord Lumber Co., supplies | 68.62 | |
| Egounis' General Store, supplies | 194.15 | |
| Page Belting Co., supplies | 35.32 | |
| Collector of Internal Revenue, tax | 252.40 | |
| Tilton Sand & Gravel Co., supplies | 494.64 | |
| Hoit & Davis, supplies | 405.68 | |
| N. H. Explosives Co., repairs | 260.44 | |
| Ken Carter's Esso Station, supplies | 291.81 | |
| Cassellini-Venable Co., repairs | 533.08 | |
| Granite State Asphalt Co., supplies | 1,137.65 | |
| H. H. McGuire Co., road oil | 1,781.50 | |
| Holmes' Socony Station, repairs & sup. | 2,592.93 | |
| | | $15,920.05 |

TOWN AID

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Martin J. Boyd— | | | |
| Paid to: | Lester Woodbury | $180.00 | |
| | Dr. McLeod | 2.00 | |
| | Taylor Drug Co. | 8.15 | |
| | | | 190.15 |
| Preston Briggs— | | | |
| Refund to City of Franklin | | | 55.01 |
| Lora Brimley— | | | |
| Paid to: | Penacook Cash Mkt. | | 6.00 |
| Vivian Campbell— | | | |
| Paid to: | Penacook Cash Mkt. | $36.24 | |
| | A. N. Cleveland | 85.47 | |
| | | | 121.71 |
| Harold Kimball— | | | |
| Refund to City of Franklin | | | 79.53 |
| Edgar Menard— | | | |
| Paid to: | Penacook Cash Mkt. | $60.00 | |
| | Tavern Garage | 15.80 | |
| | | | 75.80 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| William Miner— | | | |
| Paid to: Penacook Cash Mkt. | | 20.04 | |
| Reginald Plourde— | | | |
| Paid to: Hitchcock Clinic & Hospital | 160.16 | | |
| Laconia Hospital | 132.68 | | |
| Dr. Robinson | 15.00 | | |
| | | 307.84 | |
| Russell Tewksbury— | | | |
| Paid to: Flint's Market | | 30.00 | |
| Total Expenditures | | | $886.08 |

### Town Soldiers' Aid

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Paid to: Don Braley | $20.00 | |
| Concord Dairy | 36.76 | |
| H. B. Durant | 49.00 | |
| Larry's Market | 50.00 | |
| Egounis Market | 405.06 | |
| A. N. Cleveland | 37.10 | |
| Penacook Cash Mkt. | 169.37 | |
| | | $767.29 |

### Old Age Assistance

| | |
|---|---|
| To State of New Hampshire | $3,864.40 |
| Grand Total—Public Welfare | $5,517.77 |

### Insurance

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Knowles & Hill, insurance | $458.84 | |
| Guy H. Hubbard, insurance | 398.60 | |
| R. G. Crowell, insurance | 189.00 | |
| C. R. Egounis, insurance | 88.20 | |
| | | $1,134.64 |

### Pruning and Removing Trees

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| William Cook | | $248.00 |

### Spraying Trees

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Barber Tree Service | | $250.00 |

### Health Department

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Leon E. Norris, Health Officer | | $75 00 |

### Libraries

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Concord Electric Co., lights | $12.32 | |
| Eddy Tandy, balance appropriation | 1,387.68 | |
| | | $1,400.00 |

### Cemeteries

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Marion G. Alexander | $400.00 | |
| Graham Cemetery Lot | 25.00 | |
| | | $425.00 |

### Miscellaneous

| | |
|---|---|
| State of New Hampshire, Head taxes | $757.13 |
| Damage by dogs | 90.00 |
| Vital Statistics, G. V. Flint | 54.00 |
| Covered Bridge, A. B. Nelson | 2,500.00 |
| Auto Permits, G. V. Flint | 443.50 |
| Holmes Socony, repairs and supplies | 187.54 |
| Hayden, Harding & Buchanan, survey | 275.00 |
| Taxes bought by Town | 1,014.01 |
| Abatements | 696.39 |
| Refunds on taxes | 105.07 |
| Monitor-Patriot, fuel oil ad | 3.75 |
| V. C. Boccia, collecting Head Taxes | 5.37 |
| V. C. Boccia, file and refunds | 33.25 |
| N. H. Tax Commission, auditing Col. book | 59.50 |
| L. C. Shaw, notices of tax sale & refunds | 13.60 |
| Mary K. Colby, keeping tramps | 9.00 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Geo. V. Flint, town clerk, dog licenses | 24.00 | |
| City of Concord, water rental | 6.00 | |
| | | $6,267.11 |

### Old Age Assistance

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| State of New Hampshire | | $3,864.40 |

### Memorial Day and Other Celebrations

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Harold L. Holmes, Treasurer Old Home Day | $100.00 | |
| Treas. American Legion, Memorial Day | 35.00 | |
| | | $135.00 |

### Street Lighting

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Concord Electric Co. | | $1,997.57 |

### T. R. A.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Paid State of New Hampshire | | $331.58 |

### Temporary Loans

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| The Valley Trust Co. | $36,000.00 | |
| F. W. Horne & Co., Inc. | 30,000.00 | |
| | | $66,000.00 |

### County Tax

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Paid County Treasurer | | $8,504.78 |

### School District

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Paid Gertrude Boccia, Treas., balance 1951 appropriation | $29,895.17 | |
| Paid Gertrude Boccia, Treas., 1952 appropriation | 9,000.00 | |
| Paid Vivian L. Davis, Treas., 1952 appropriation | 6,000.00 | |
| | | $44,895.17 |

# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### POLL TAXES

Levy of 1949

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Uncollected Taxes as of Oct. 23, 1952:* | | |
| Poll | $2.00 | |
| *TOTAL DEBITS* | | $2.00 |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | 0.00 | |
| Uncollected Taxes as of Collector's list | | $2.00 |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### POLL TAXES

Levy of 1950

Dr.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Uncollected Taxes as of Oct. 23, 1952:* | | | |
| Poll Taxes | $8.00 | | |
| Interest | | .24 | |
| | | | $8.24 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | | | |
| Poll Taxes | $2.00 | | |
| Interest Collected | .24 | | |
| *Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:* | | 6.00 | |
| *TOTAL CREDITS* | | | $8.24 |

## SUMMARY OF PRECINCT TAXES

### Levy of 1952

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Warrant | $19,090.43 | |
| Added Taxes | 64.48 | |
| Interest Collected | 3.75 | |
| | | $19,158.66 |

Cr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | | |
| Precinct Taxes | $12,948.31 | |
| Interest Collected | 3.75 | |
| Abatements | 42.64 | |
| Uncollected | 6,163.96 | |
| | | $19,158.66 |

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## SUMMARY OF WARRANT
## STATE HEAD TAX
### Levy of 1952

Dr.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:* | | | |
| Original Warrant | $4,200.00 | | |
| Added Taxes | 45.00 | | |
| *TOTAL COMMITMENT* | | $4,245.00 | |
| *Penalties Collected* | | 14.00 | |
| *TOTAL DEBITS* | | | $4,259.00 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | | | |
| Head Taxes | $3,195.00 | | |
| Penalties | 14.00 | | |
| | | 3,209.00 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Abatements | 15.00 | |
| *Uncollected Head Taxes as per Collector's List* | 1,035.00 | |
| *TOTAL CREDITS* | | $4,259.00 |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT HEAD TAXES

### Levy of 1951

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1952:* | | |
| Head Taxes | $765.00 | |
| Added Taxes | 195.00 | |
| Penalties | 62.50 | |
| | | $1,022.50 |

Cr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | | |
| Head Taxes | $900.00 | |
| Penalties | 62.50 | |
| *Uncollected Head Taxes* | 60.00 | |
| | | $1.022.50 |

## SUMMARY OF TAX SALES

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Taxes Sold to Town:* | | |
| Levy of 1951 | $1,014.01 | |
| Levy of 1950 | 869.14 | |
| Levy of 1949 | 4.00 | |
| | | $1,887.15 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Taxes Redeemed:* | | |
| Levy of 1951 | $257.28 | |
| Levy of 1950 | 472.47 | |
| Levy of 1949 | 4.00 | |
| Interest | 73.35 | |
| | | $807.10 |
| *Unredeemed Taxes:* | | |
| Levy of 1951 | $756.73 | |
| Levy of 1950 | 396.67 | |
| | | $1,153.40 |

## SUMMARY OF PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES

### Levy of 1952

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Taxes Committed to Tax Collector:* | | |
| Property | $97,814.84 | |
| Poll | 1,350.00 | |
| National Bank Stock | 20.00 | |
| Yield Tax | 281.73 | |
| | | $99,476.57 |
| *Excess Payments* | | 5.41 |
| *Added Taxes:* | | |
| Property | | 307.52 |
| Poll | | 12.00 |
| Interest Collected | | 1.60 |
| | | $99,793.10 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Cash on hand | $ 2.00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | |
| Property | $66,783.79 |
| Poll | 962.00 |
| National Bank Stock | 20.00 |
| Interest Collected | 1.60 |
| Abatements | 209.36 |
| *Uncollected Taxes:* | |
| Property | 31,138.62 |
| Poll | 394.00 |
| Yield | 281.73 |
| | $99,793.10 |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT PROPERTY AND POLL TAXES

### Levy of 1951

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1952:* | | |
| Property Taxes | $23,795.97 | |
| Poll Taxes | 432.00 | |
| Yield Taxes | 507.90 | |
| Added Poll Taxes | 46.00 | |
| Interest Collected | 945.62 | |
| | | $25,727.49 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | |
| Property Taxes | $23,407.08 |
| Poll Taxes | 380.00 |
| Yield Taxes | 507.90 |
| Interest Collected | 945.62 |
| *Abatements:* | |
| Property Taxes | 368.39 |
| Poll Taxes | 62.00 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Uncollected Taxes:* | | |
| Property Taxes | 20.50 | |
| Poll Taxes | 36.00 | |
| | | $25,727.49 |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT
## PRECINCT TAX
### Levy of 1952

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Warrant | $19,090.43 | |
| Added Taxes | 64.48 | |
| | | $19,154.91 |

Cr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | | |
| Collections | $12,948.31 | |
| Abatements | 42.64 | |
| Interest | 3.75 | |
| Uncollected Taxes | 6,160.21 | |
| | | $19,154.91 |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT
## PRECINCT TAXES
### Levy of 1951

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1952:* | | |
| Precinct Taxes | $4,096.47 | |
| Added Taxes | 6.96 | |
| Interest Collected | 134.56 | |
| | | $4,237.99 |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Remittances to Treasurer:* | | |
| Precinct Taxes | $3,893.53 | |
| Abatements allowed | 146.66 | |
| Interest Collected | 134.56 | |
| Uncollected Taxes | 63.24 | |
| | | $4,237.99 |

## MUNICIPAL COURT OF BOSCAWEN

Receipts from Jan. 1, 1952 to Jan. 1, 1953

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Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| Total Fines | $3,251.00 |

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| | |
|---|---|
| Motor Vehicle Dept. | $1,782.00 |
| Fish & Game Dept. | 63.00 |
| Office Supplies and Maintenance | 53.30 |
| Town Treasurer | 1,352.70 |
| | $3,251.00 |

List of Cases

| | |
|---|---|
| Motor Vehicle Violations | 238 |
| Fish & Game Violations | 8 |
| Drunks | 27 |
| Wanderers | 10 |
| Assaults | 5 |
| Stealing | 4 |
| Vagrants | 3 |
| Escapes | 3 |
| Beggars | 1 |
| Non-Support | 1 |
| Juveniles | 4 |
| Small Claims | 8 |
| Total | 312 |

JOHN L. EMERSON,
*Justice.*

## REPORT OF MUCHIDO HOSE CO.

For year ended Dec. 31, 1952

| | |
|---|---|
| Bell Alarms | 17 |
| Still Alarms | 6 |
| Total | 23 |

HARRY W. CARTER,
*District Chief.*

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## REPORT OF TORRENT ENGINE NO. 1

For year ended Dec. 31, 1952

| | |
|---|---|
| Bell Alarms | 17 |
| Stills | 5 |
| Total | 22 |

LAWRENCE A. YOUNG,
*District Chief.*

# TREASURER'S REPORT
# BOSCAWEN PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES

## Total Receipts

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Balance on hand Jan. 2, 1952 | | 106.42 | | |
| Treasurer of the Trust Funds | | | | |
| Martha Knowles Fund | 287.97 | | | |
| Frank L. Gerrish Fund | 89.03 | | | |
| Harry K. White Fund | 44.51 | | | |
| Lizzie Choate Fund | 20.46 | | | |
| Mrs. John Kimball Fund | 2.24 | | | |
| Martha Buxton Fund | 22.26 | | | |
| Willis Buxton Fund | 22.26 | | | |
| | | 488.73 | | |
| Town Treasurer | | 1,387.68 | | |
| J. Ralph Graham Jr. land rent | | 20.00 | | |
| Librarian from book fines | | 64.85 | | |
| Sale of old books | | 15.64 | | |
| Thornton Fund | | 50.00 | | |
| Total Receipts | | | 2,133.32 | |
| Total Expenditures | | | 2,115.37 | |
| Balance on hand Jan. 2, 1953 | | | | 17.95 |

## Book Account Receipts

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance on hand Jan. 2, 1952 | 36.54 | |
| Trust Funds | 355.18 | |
| J. R. Graham, land rent | 20.00 | |
| Book fines | 64.85 | |
| Sale of old books | 15.64 | |
| Thornton Fund | 50.00 | |
| Transfer from the Gen. Acct. | 200.00 | |
| Total Receipts Book Acct. | | 742.21 |

## General Account Receipts

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance on hand Jan. 2, 1952 | 69.88 | |
| Trust Funds | 44.52 | |
| Town Treasurer | 1,387.68 | |
| Total Receipts Gen. Acct. | | 1,502.08 |
| Less Transfer to the Book Acct | 200.00 | 1,302.08 |

### Gerrish Fund Receipts

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Gerrish Trust Fund | 89.03 | | |
| Total Gerrish Fund Receipts | | 89.03 | |

### Expended Book Account

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| For books | 622.05 | | |
| For magazines | 58.72 | | |
| Total Expended | | 680.77 | |
| Balance on hand Jan. 2, 1953 | | | 61.44 |
| Temporary loan to Genl. Acct. | | 61.44 | |

### Expended General Account

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Salaries | 526.04 | | |
| Supplies | 69.80 | | |
| Repairs | 10.00 | | |
| Fuel | 343.31 | | |
| Lawn care | 95.65 | | |
| Insurance | 64.04 | | |
| Janitors | 230.00 | | |
| Dues | 5.00 | | |
| Treasurer's Bond | 5.00 | | |
| Flowers | 9.50 | | |
| Light | 46.64 | | |
| Water rent | 9.00 | | |
| Trucking old books to Penacook Fibre Mill | 3.00 | | |
| Total Expended | | 1,416.98 | |
| Over expended | | | (114.90) |
| Temporary loan from Book Acct. | | 61.44 | |
| Temporary loan from Gerrish Fund | | 53.46 | |
| | | | 114.90 |

### Expended Gerrish Fund

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Repairs at Main Library | 17.62 | | |
| Total Expended | | 17.62 | |
| Balance on hand Jan. 2, 1953 | | | 71.41 |
| Temporary loan to Genl. Fund | | 53.46 | 17.95 |
| Total Expended all accounts | | 2,115.37 | |
| Balance on hand all accounts, Jan. 2, 1953 | | | 17.95 |

Respectfully submitted,

EDDY W. TANDY,

Treasurer for the Trustees.

## BOSCAWEN PUBLIC LIBRARY

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The schedule at the library maintains these hours the year around:

Tuesdays—2:00 to 4:30 o'clock
6:30 to 8:00 o'clock
Fridays —2:00 to 4:30 o'clock

During the school year the Branch will be open at 2 o'clock on both Monday and Wednesday for the convenience of the school children. During the remainder of the year the hours will be as follows:

Monday —3:00 to 5:00 o'clock
Wednesday—3:00 to 5:00 o'clock
6:00 to 8:00 o'clock

We have had bookmobile service as of last year and many books have been procured from the State Library for the use of our patrons.

Children's books were purchased with the annual gift from the Thornton Fund, these to be added to the fine collection already on the Thornton Book Shelf.

Many books have been added to the library shelves, many by gifts from the following people: Mr. and Mrs. Henry McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Scotty, Mr. and Mrs. L. Mark Young, Mrs. Roger Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Boccia, and Mrs. Lewis B. Knapp in memory of Mr. Knapp. Magazines were given by Mrs. Harry Host, Mrs. Roger Sanborn, Mrs. Arthur Folsom and Mr. Allan Richardson. Mrs. L. Mark Young presented a copy of the revised standard Holy Bible in memory of her brother, Robert McIntyre.

The trustees were much saddened by the death of Mr. Lewis Knapp who had been a valued member of the board

for a number of years. Mr. Walter Hazen was elected to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Knapp.

Mrs. Goldsmith, the librarian, tendered her resignation on September 10 to take effect as of October 1st. This was accepted with regret by the trustees and Mrs. Robert Knowlton was appointed as librarian.

The Boscawen and Penacook Congregational Churches have been enrolled in the Adventures in Reading Contest.

Both the Main building and the Branch observed Book Week with suitable displays of the newest books.

The circulation for the year was as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Adult fiction | 4,679 |
| Adult non-fiction | 905 |
| Juvenile fiction | 5,595 |
| Juvenile non-fiction | 827 |
| Magazines | 1,447 |
| Making a total of | 13,453 |

ISABEL H. GRIMES,
*Secretary of the Board of Trustees.*

## REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BOSCAWEN, N. H., DEC. 31, 1952

| Date of Creation | Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation | How Invested | Amount of Principal | Rate of Int. | Bal. of Inc. Begin. Yr. | Income During Yr. | Expended During Yr. | Bal. of Inc. End of Yr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1889 | Abial R. Chandler fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 8.20 | 3.20 | 4.20 | 7.20 |
| 1890 | Elisabeth P. Gill, (for James Gill) cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 19.53 | 3.44 | 10.53 | 12.44 |
| 1898 | Sarah A. Webber fund, | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 15.41 | 3.40 | 5.41 | 13.40 |
| 1900 | Andrew J. Taylor fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 6.66 | 1.67 | 1.66 | 6.67 |
| 1901 | Mary G. Cogswell fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3 26 | 6.29 | 8.26 |
| 1903 | Ambrose Smith fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 75.00 | 3% | 12.58 | 2.60 | 2.58 | 12.60 |
| 1904 | Samuel B. G. Corser fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 7.17 | 3.13 | 7.17 | 3.13 |
| 1906 | Francis S. French fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 75.00 | 3% | 11.55 | 2.57 | 2.55 | 11.57 |
| 1907 | Rachel Fox fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 7.69 | 1.70 | 1.69 | 7.70 |
| 1910 | Daniel Flint fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 7.69 | 1.70 | 1.69 | 7.70 |
| 1908 | Helen Plummer fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 26.73 | 6.59 | 16.73 | 16.59 |
| 1909 | David Goodhue fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 8.72 | 1.73 | 1.72 | 8.73 |
| 1909 | John E. Rines fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 1,000.00 | 3% | 185.50 | 34.23 | 70.50 | 149.23 |
| 1910 | James V. Smith fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 75.00 | 3% | 13.61 | 2.63 | 2.61 | 13.63 |
| 1911 | Abigail Hale fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 8.72 | 1.73 | 1.72 | 8.73 |
| 1912 | Austin Kimball fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 8 72 | 1.73 | 1.72 | 8.73 |
| 1915 | Joseph Clough fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 13.33 | 3.31 | 7.33 | 9.31 |
| 1916 | Nancy Simonds fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 75.00 | 3% | 17.71 | 2.75 | 2.71 | 17.75 |
| 1916 | Putney & Gill fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.23 | 8.29 | 6.23 |
| 1918 | David F. Kimball fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 13.31 | 6.34 | 7.31 | 12.34 |
| 1921 | Hale Chadwick fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 11.81 | 1.82 | 1.81 | 11.82 |
| 1921 | Ellen F. Chadwick fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 13.35 | 3.34 | 5.35 | 11.34 |

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1921 | Samuel Allen fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 13.38 | 3.34 | 5.38 | 11.34 |
| 1921 | Davis Colby fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 10.27 | 3.24 | 5.27 | 8.24 |
| 1921 | Louis Decamp fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 13.87 | 1.88 | 1.87 | 13.88 |
| 1922 | Charles J. McClure fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 16.43 | 6.39 | 9.43 | 13.39 |
| 1922 | Minnie Stevens fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.28 | 5.29 | 9.28 |
| 1922 | Hamilton Gill fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.28 | 5.29 | 9.28 |
| 1923 | James Gill Burpee fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.28 | 5.29 | 9.28 |
| 1923 | Samuel Choate fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.28 | 5.29 | 9.28 |
| 1925 | Moses A. Fellows fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 144.00 | 3% | 20.91 | 4.83 | 8.91 | 16.83 |
| 1925 | Joseph G. Eastman fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.28 | 5.29 | 9.28 |
| 1926 | Harriet Chadwick fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.28 | 5.29 | 9.28 |
| 1926 | George H. Carter fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.28 | 5.29 | 9.28 |
| 1926 | Ellenette Pillsbury fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 11.29 | 3.28 | 5.29 | 9.28 |
| 1928 | Martha Knowles fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 13.31 | 6.34 | 7.31 | 12.34 |
| 1929 | Edgerton Raymond fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1929 | Calvin Roberts fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 1.51 | 1.52 | 1.51 | 1.52 |
| 1930 | J .Edward Colby fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1930 | Ezekiel Webster fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 13.31 | 6.34 | 7.31 | 12.34 |
| 1930 | Edward Webster fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.05 | 3.07 |
| 1930 | Josephine Hall fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 75.00 | 3% | 2.26 | 2.30 | 2.26 | 2.30 |
| 1935 | Julia W. Carroll fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1935 | James and Mary Brown fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1936 | Eliphalet Webster fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1937 | Eliza J. Bent fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1937 | Delbert Bean fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1939 | Aime Folsom fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1941 | Lucy K. Gage fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 6.09 | 6.14 | 6.09 | 6.14 |
| 1941 | Edson H. Mattice fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 6.09 | 6.14 | 6.09 | 6.14 |
| 1944 | Glenn A. Hall fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1944 | Sara E. McClure fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 6.06 | 6.14 | 6.06 | 6.14 |
| 1945 | Ervin A. Griffin fund, cem. (Lillian Griffin) donor | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1945 | George T. Ordway fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1945 | Mary Knowles Colby fund cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 6.06 | 6.14 | 6.06 | 6.14 |
| 1946 | Villa Hall Wight fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 1.51 | 1.52 | 1.51 | 1.52 |
| 1946 | Leroy A. Glines fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 50.00 | 3% | 1.51 | 1.52 | 1.51 | 1.52 |
| 1947 | George Barnard fund, (Dr. & Mrs. Parsons) donors | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 6.06 | 6.14 | 6.06 | 6.14 |
| 1948 | Weir fund (donor Myrtie L. Weir) | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1949 | Miles S. Roby fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.03 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.07 |
| 1949 | Alice P. Ford fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 200.00 | 3% | 6.06 | 6.14 | 6.06 | 6.14 |
| 1950 | Daniel Carter lots fund, cemetery | N. H. Sav. Bk. | 100.00 | 3% | 3.01 | 3.07 | 3.01 | 3.07 |
| 1916 | Mrs. John Kimball fund, library | Valley Trust Co. | 100.00 | 2½% | 0.00 | 2.24 | 2.24 | 0.00 |
| 1925 | Harry K. White fund, library | Valley Trust Co. | 2,000.00 | 2½% | 0.00 | 44.51 | 44.51 | 0.00 |
| 1928 | Martha Knowles fund, library | Valley Trust Co. | 9,559.89 | 3% | 0.00 | 287.97 | 287.97 | 0.00 |
| 1940 | Frank L. Gerrish fund, library | Valley Trust Co. | 4,000.00 | 2½% | 0.00 | 89.03 | 89.03 | 0.00 |
| 1946 | Lizzie Choate fund, library | Valley Trust Co. | 920.00 | 2½% | 0.00 | 20.46 | 20.46 | 0.00 |
| 1947 | Willis G. Buxton fund, library | Valley Trust Co. | 1,000.00 | 2½% | 0.00 | 22.26 | 22.26 | 0.00 |
| 1948 | Martha Buxton fund, library | Valley Trust Co. | 1,000.00 | 2½% | 0.00 | 22.26 | 22.26 | 0.00 |
| | Cemetery lot sales | N. H. Sav. Bk. | *940.00 | 3% | 167.67 | 32.71 | | 200.38 |
| | Cash sale of lot | | *25.00 | | | | | |
| For cemetery trusts and cemetery lot sales balances show interest received Jan. 1, 1953. | | | 27,113.89 | | 888.68 | 765.89 | 836.74 | 817.83 |

*Sale of lot, 1952

# THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE TRUST FUNDS

## Receipts

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Library Funds | | |
| Paid to Library Trustees | 488.73 | |
| Received from Trusts | $488.73 | |
| Cemetery Funds | | |
| Cash balance from prior year | $113.11 | |
| Income from trust funds | 348.01 | |
| Income from individuals | 4.00 | |
| Rec'd from town for care of cemeteries | 400.00 | |
| | | $865.12 |

## Disbursements

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Labor | | |
| Theodore J. Houston | $421.00 | |
| Theodore J. Houston, Jr. | 200.70 | |
| Robert N. Gordon | 26.10 | |
| Richard Hardy | 9.90 | |
| Herbert Huckins | 4.50 | |
| Knowles Knight | 2.70 | |
| T. J. Houston, expenses, repairs to equipment and supplies | 102.90 | |
| E. L. Osborne, sharpening mower | 3.25 | |
| Greene's Flower Shop, flowers for Rines lot | 7.00 | |
| | | 778.05 |
| Balance, cash on hand | | $ 87.07 |

GUY H. HUBBARD
MARION G. ALEXANDER
WILLARD RAND
*Boscawen Trustees of Trust Funds*

## HEALTH REPORT

Herewith is a report of the Health work which has been done in your community by the Bureau of Public Health Nursing of the N. H. State Department of Health, co-operating with local agencies as represented through the Local Child Health Conference Committee.

*Child Health Conference:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Number held | 1 |
| Total Attendance | 11 |

*Immunization Clinics:*

| | |
|---|---|
| Number held | 3 |
| Total Attendance | 57 |

Very truly yours,

GERTRUDE J. SNOW,
Public Health Nurse.
Bureau of Public Health Nursing,
N. H. State Department of Health.

## REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

### Team Work Will Do The Job

Team work has won victories from time immemorial—for families, towns, cities, states and nations. Team work is due highest form and most democratic example of cooperation. Without team work, America and Americans would never have achieved the greatness that is theirs. We are all aware of its power and appeal. It is no less needed now than in the past.

Team work among those who live, work and recreate in and near the woodlands, is vital. There never was a time

when our woodlands as a whole were in such precarious condition as they are now.

Since the hurricane, nearly 900,000 acres of slash have been added to our already sizable slash problem. If we are to avoid unnecessary trouble with fire in our woodland areas everyone must cooperate—we must have team work. The remedy is simple—

YOU and YOU and You and You

MUST secure the required permit from your local forest fire warden before burning.

MUST use necessary precautions while burning or smoking in or near woodlands.

MUST not throw lighted cigars, cigarettes and matches from vehicles moving along highways.

Otherwise YOU might well contribute to a costly and damaging fire. And don't forget that fire might destroy your own property!

REMEMBER—Only YOU and YOU and YOU can prevent fire!

TEAM WORK WILL DO THE JOB!

Number of local fires
Number of acres burned
Number of permits issued 77

ARTHUR BARTLETT, *Forest Fire Warden.*
THOS. J. KING, *District Fire Chief.*

# Warrant for the Penacook & Boscawen Water Precinct Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the Penacook and Boscawen Water Precinct qualified to vote in Precinct affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at Boscawen Town Hall in said Precinct on Thursday, the 26th day of March next at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following:

1. To hear the reports of Precinct officers and pass any vote relating thereto.

2. To choose all necessary Precinct officers for the ensuing year.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray precinct charges for the ensuing year.

4. To see if the precinct will vote to adopt a plan for extending to employees of the precinct the benefits of title II of the Federal Social Security Act (Old-Age and Survivor's Insurance) as authorized by Chapter 234 of the Laws of 1951 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $70.00 to defray the precinct's share of the cost thereof.

5. If the foregoing article is adopted, to see if the precinct will authorize the commissioners to execute on behalf o fthe precinct the necessary agreement with the State of New Hampshire to carry into effect the plan and to see if the precinct will designate the precinct Treasurer as the officer to be responsible for the administration of the plan.

6. To appropriate not exceeding Sixty Thousand Dollars ($60,000.00) for the acquisition and construction of additions, alterations and improvements in and to the plant, works and system for supplying water to the inhabitants of the Precinct, including any land or easements necessary therefor.

7. To authorize the issue of notes or bonds of the Precinct in an amount not exceeding Sixty Thousand Dollars ($60,000.00) in accordance with Chapter 72 of the Revised Laws, and amendments thereto, the proceeds thereof to be used for the purposes specified in th preceding Article, and to authorize and empower the Board of Commissioners to determine the time and place of payment and the rate of interest on such notes or bonds, to provide for ths eale thereof, and to do any and all such acts and things as they may deem necessary to the issuance thereof.

8. To see what action the Precinct will take about the installation of meters in the balance of the precinct, after completing the installing of those purchased last year, and to raise and appropriate money for such installation if action taken is in the affirmative.

9. To authorize the Precinct Commissioners to borrow money in anticipation of precinct taxes and other revenues for the ensuing year, said loans to be payable taxes and other for the ensuing year, said loans to be payable from taxes and other revenues for the year 1953 and to issue notes therefor at such rate of interest and payable at such time, within one year, and place as the Precinct Commissioners shall determine.

10. To transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal the tenth day of March in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty three.

FRANCIS H. GRANT,
NATHANIEL M. FLAGG,
*Precinct Commissioners.*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANCIS H. GRANT,
NATHANIEL M. FLAGG,
*Precinct Commissioners.*

# REPORT OF THE PENACOOK AND BOSCAWEN WATER COMMISSIONERS

It is our sincere desire that every voter in the Penacook-Boscawen Water Precinct will read this statement and give it his or her most serious consideration.

This annual meeting of the precinct for 1953, is, perhaps, the most important since its establishment over sixty years ago.

Let us review a little. In the last few years we have installed a pumping station, a chlorinating pit, erected a 300,00 gal. tank in Penacook, repaired the many costly leaks in the water main near the big cut, relaid over 6,000 feet of mains where maintenance costs were excessive, replaced several hydrants, installed many new copper services and have purchased fifty meters, a part of which have been installed. This indicates that substantial progress has been made, but we wonder how many realize that we still have nearly 30,000 feet of old wooden mains still in service which will be a constant source of expense to maintain until replaced.

Through no fault of the precinct we lost over 22% of the taxable property as a result of the closing of the Harris, Emery Mills. The precinct officers had hoped to reduce the precinct tax a little bit each year, but this shrinkage in valuation forced an increase of 16% in our 1952 rate.

The outlook for the next few years is for high precinct taxes and high water rentals, but if everyone understands the problems and does his part willingly and ungrudgingly, we can slowly but surely transform our system of worn out mains with new ones that will be good for many years to come, with very little upkeep, once the change is made. This will necessitate heavy long term borrowing and at a higher rate of interest than we have enjoyed on recent loans.

We would like to quote from the report of the advisory committee submitted to the annual meeting on March 30,

1950, where the question is raised "if the precinct wants an adequate, safe, pure water supply" and it goes on to say, "If the answer is no, we need not expend any money, if the answer is yes we have got to pay the bill regardless of size."

This is the discouraging side of the picture, but there are some factors which will work out to the precinct's advantage. Among these is the fact that the Harris, Emery Mills are being prepared for new activities and may become a large user of our water and will gradually restore, partially at least, the taxable valuation which we recently lost. Our town is growing and a considerable number of new buildings are being built each year and every new customer helps, to some extent, in carrying the tax load.

When the mains are replaced we will be given concessions in our insurance rates, while at the present time we are being penalized because of the general condition of such a large part of our mains. The Penacook end of our town, as far north as Walter Marshall's, is paying an increase in insurance rates, effective last summer.

The action taken at this meeting will determine whether or not we continue our program of gradually developing a system which will eventually meet all our own requirements, as well as the requirements of the Board of Underwriters, State Board of Health and the Public Utilities Commission.

FRANCIS H. GRANT,
NATHANIEL M. FLAGG,
*Commissioners.*

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICIATE

In accordance with instructions from the Commissioners, we have made an examination of the books and records of Mrs. Gertrude D. Willey, Treasurer of Penacook and Boscawen Water Precinct for the period ending December 31, 1952 and have prepared the following statements:

Exhibit A Balance Sheet As at December 31, 1952

Schedule A-1 Detail of Funded Debt, December 31, 1952

Exhibit B Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the Year Ending December 31, 1952

Schedule B-1 Details of New Construction and Repairs to Leaks, December 31, 1952

We have examined all checks issued by the Precinct during the year. We have also made an extensive check of all vouchers.

All recorded cash receipts were traced to the bank statement. In addition, we abstracted a list of the unpaid water rents as at December 31, 1952.

The statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements correctly reflects the receipts and disbursements for the year.

The Balance Sheet, Exhibit A, shows the Assets and Liabilities as at December 31, 1952 in accordance with the Public Service Commission classification of accounts.

JOHN E. RICH & COMPANY
Certified Public Accountants

February 17, 1953
Concord, New Hampshire

# PENACOOK AND BOSCAWEN WATER PRECINCT
## BALANCE SHEET
## AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1952

### Assets

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Fixed Assets* | | |
| Water Supply Land | $ 2,374.75 | |
| Pumping Station Structures | 18,642.25 | |
| Water Storage Structures | 19,873.47 | |
| Pumping Station Equipment | 12,092.12 | |
| Mains | 166,795.78 | |
| Hydrants | 9,069.07 | |
| Services | 11,448.06 | |
| Meters | 2,219.68 | |
| Other Equipment | 500.76 | |
| Total Fixed Assets | | $243,015.94 |
| *Current Assets* | | |
| Cash | 1,447.66 | |
| Water Rents Receivable | 1,111.76 | |
| Taxes Receivable | 6,146.25 | |
| Materials and Supplies | 2,704.55 | |
| Total Current Assets | | 11,410.22 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | | $254,426.16 |

### Liabilities

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Capital Liabilities* | | |
| Municipal Investment | $ 31,089.77 | |
| Funded Debt | 167,000.00 | |
| Total Capital Liabilities | | $198,089.77 |
| *Contributions to Aid in Construction* | | 5,611.48 |
| *Current Liabilities* | | |
| Notes Payable | 2,800.00 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Accounts Payable | 3,932.84 | |
| Collector of Internal Revenue | 103.80 | |
| Total Current Liabilities | | 6,836.64 |
| *Reserve for Depreciation* | | 21,651.33 |
| *Profit or Loss* | | |
| Balance January 1, 1952 | 17,948.28 | |
| Net Profit | 4,288.66 | 22,236.94 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | | $254,426.16 |

## PEANCCOK AND BOSCAWEN WATER PRECINCT STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1952

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cash Balance January 1, 1952 | | | $20,529.63 |
| *Receipts from Operations* | | | |
| Taxes | | $16,423.84 | |
| Rental Income (Less Rebates) | | 7,650.72 | |
| Fines | | 46.48 | |
| Merchandise Sales and Job Work | $369.92 | | |
| Less: Cost of Sales | 208.50 | | |
| | | 161.42 | |
| Interest | | 156.83 | |
| Miscellaneous Receipts | | 104.63 | |
| | | | 24,548.92 |
| Total Receipts and Balance | | | 45,078.55 |
| *Disbursements—Current Operations* | | | |
| Materials and Supplies | | 479.39 | |
| Pumping Station Supplies and Expense | | 640.43 | |
| Purchased Water | | 599.46 | |
| Distribution Labor | | 1,194.74 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Other Distribution Supplies & Expense | 38.54 | |
| Repairs to Structures and Equipment | 64.46 | |
| Repairs to Mains | 2,934.92 | |
| Repairs to Services | 186.25 | |
| Repairs to Hydrants | 41.95 | |
| Repairs to Meters | 58.92 | |
| Commercial Supplies and Expense | 1,337.76 | |
| Insurance | 202.09 | |
| Rent | 105.00 | |
| Truck Expense | 334.76 | |
| Interest | 3,678.90 | |
| Taxes | 20.35 | |
| Tax Abatements | 146.66 | |
| Withholding Taxes | 45.40 | |
| Total Disbursements—Current Operations | | 12,109 98 |
| Excess of Receipts over Disbursements— | | |
| Current Operations | | 32,968.57 |
| *Other Receipts* | | |
| Proceeds of Short Term Notes | 14,958.89 | |
| Receipts on Williams Suit | 8,210.78 | 23,169 67 |
| | | 56,138.24 |
| *Other Disbursements* | | |
| Short Term Notes | 15,000.00 | |
| Payments on Bonds | 13,000.00 | |
| New Construction and Leak Repairs | 20,517.84 | |
| Legal Fees | 6,172.74 | 54,690.58 |
| CASH BALANCE December 31, 1952 | | $ 1,447.66 |

*Schedule A-1*

## PENACOOK AND BOSCAWEN WATER PRECINCT
## DETAIL OF FUNDED DEBT
## DECEMBER 31, 1952

| | |
|---|---|
| Amoskeag Savings Bank | $24,000.00 |
| Amoskeag National Bank | 8,000.00 |
| First National Bank of Concord | 17,000.00 |
| First National Bank of Concord | 8,000.00 |
| National State Capital Bank | 11,000.00 |
| First National Bank of Boston | 54,000.00 |
| First National Bank of Boston | 38,000.00 |
| Indian Head National Bank | 7,000.00 |
| Total Funded Debt | $167,000.00 |

*Schedule B-2*

## DETAILS OF NEW CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS TO LEAKS
## DECEMBER 31, 1952

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *New Pump House and Equipment* | | |
| R. H. White Company | $7,561.83 | |
| New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. | 2,759.03 | |
| | | $10,320.86 |
| Fisher Avenue | | 1,832.60 |
| Transite Pipe | | 1,845.09 |
| New Meters | | 1,319.68 |
| Materials from R. H. White Company used in prior years (not billed) | | 2,237.60 |
| Repairs to Leaks | | 2,489.10 |
| New Services | | 438.03 |
| Other | | 34.88 |
| | | $20,517.84 |

## STATEMENT OF AUGUSTUS CROVO PRECINCT TAX COLLECTOR FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1952

| | 1952 | 1951 |
|---|---|---|
| Precinct Taxes 1952 | $19,137.23 | $ |
| Uncollected January 1, 1952 | | 4,096.47 |
| Additional Taxes | | 6.96 |
| Interest | 3.75 | 153.08 |
| | $19,140.98 | $4,256.51 |
| Taxes Collected | $12,948.34 | $ 4,103.43 |
| Interest | 3.75 | 153.08 |
| Unpaid December 31, 1952 | 6,188.89 | |
| | $19,140.98 | $4,256.51 |

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

We have made an examination of the records of Augustus Crovo, Tax Collector of Penacook-Boscawen Water Precinct, for the year ended December 31, 1952, which covers the 1952 Levy and the Uncollected Taxes on the 1951 Levy.

The total taxes and interest collected amounted to $17,208.60 of which $16,585.68 was remitted to the Treasurer, Mrs. Gertrude D. Willey.

Concord, New Hampshire

JOHN E. RICH & COMPANY
Certified Public Accountants

February 17, 1953

# SCHOOL DIRECTORY

February 1, 1952

| | |
|---|---|
| Iyla Bartlett, *Chairman* | Term expires March 1953 |
| Ruby K. Woodbury | Term expires March 1954 |
| Charles L. Foote | Term expires March 1955 |

## District Officers

| | |
|---|---|
| Lewis Shaw | Moderator |
| Dorothy Sanborn | Clerk |
| Vivian Davis | Treasurer |
| Mattie L. Reardon | Auditor |
| Charles L. Brown | Auditor |

## Superintendent

William B. Hounsell

Office in the Beede Block, 1 Merrimack Street, Penacook, N. H. Office is open on all school days from 8:15 to 12:00 and from 1:00 to 4:30. Appointments for conference with the Superintendent can be made through the Clerk, Pauline D. Wendelin. Phone Penacook 48.

## Teachers

Main Street School

| | |
|---|---|
| Robert A. Morrissey, Principal | Grades 7-8 |
| Edythe Clow | Grades 7-8 |
| Cora E. Hardy | Grade 4 |
| Hilda O. Dearborn | Grade 3 |
| Elizabeth J. MacDonald | Grade 2 |
| Lora Olsen | Grade 1 |

## Plains School

| | |
|---|---|
| Robert A. Morrissey, Principal | |
| Marian Sanderson | Grade 6 |
| Ida Hale Tenney | Grade 5 |

## Truant Officer

Robert Lawrence

## School Nurse

Mary E. Ormsbee, R. N.
6 Summit Street, Penacook, N. H.
Phone Penacook 301

## Music Supervisor

Harry Surabian, Jr.
Cameo Apartments
Penacook, N. H.

# SCHOOL WARRANT

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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Boscawen, qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 21st day of March 1953 at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed fifty-five hundred dollars ($5500.) for the purchase of a school bus to be operated by the district, and in order to provide these funds, to authorize the school board to issue serial notes for all or any portion of the sum so raised upon the credit of the district, for a period not to exceed five (5) years; and to determine the terms and conditions under which the notes shall be issued, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Bonds Statute, N. H. R. L. Ch. 72, and any amendments relating thereto.

10. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to transfer any balances from item to item in the 1952-53 school budget, providing the school appropriation is not exceeded.

11. To see if the district will vote to elect by ballot a committee of six (6) members to consult with and advise the School Board in a study of the needs for the construction and equipping of a new elementary school; and to bring in a report of its study and recommendations at the next annual school meeting.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Boscawen this 27th day of February 1953.

IYLA BARTLETT, *Chairman*
RUBY K. WOODBURY,
CHARLES L. FOOTE,
*School Board.*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

IYLA BARTLETT, *Chairman*
RUBY K. WOODBURY,
CHARLES L. FOOTE,
*School Board.*

# SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1953-1954

School Board's statement of amount required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1953.

| Support of Schools | High | Elementary | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Salaries of District Officers | | | $216.00 |
| Local Share Supt's Salary | | | 670.80 |
| Tax for Statewide Supervision | | | 698.00 |
| Salaries of other adm. personnel | | | 568.80 |
| Supplies and other expenses | | | 711.28 |
| Salaries of teachers and principals | | 26,300.00 | 26,300.00 |
| Books and other instructional aids | | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
| Scholars' Supplies | | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
| Other instructional expense | | 715.00 | 715.00 |
| Salaries of Janitors | | 1,465.00 | 1,465.00 |
| Fuel or heat | | 1,775.00 | 1,775.00 |
| Water, lights and other expenses | | 750.00 | 750.00 |
| Repairs and replacements | | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| Health Supervision | | 630.00 | 630.00 |
| Transportation | | 5,300.00 | 5,300.00 |
| Tuition | 29,855.00 | | 29,855.00 |
| Special Funds Activities | | 250.00 | 250.00 |
| Retirement | | 1,589.75 | 1,589.75 |
| Insurance, Bonds and Expenses | | 300.00 | 300.00 |
| New Equipment | | 600.00 | 600.00 |
| | | | $76,394.63 |

**Estimated Income of District**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| State Aid | 5,000.00 | |
| Elmwood Academy Fund | 50.00 | |
| Rental of Carroll Lot | 100.00 | |
| | | 5,150.00 |
| Total to be appropriated for 1953-1954 | | $71,244.63 |

IYLA L. BARTLETT, Chairman
RUBY K. WOODBURY
CHARLES L. FOOTE
School Board

Boscawen, N. H., February 9, 1953

# SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1952-1953

School Board's statement of amount required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1952.

| **Support of Schools:** | High | Elementary | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Salaries of District Officers | | | $216.00 |
| Local Share Supt's salary | | | 686.92 |
| Tax for Statewide Supervision | | | 714.00 |
| Salaries of other adm. personnel | | | 484.70 |
| Supplies and other expenses | | | 525.77 |
| Salaries of teachers and principals | | 23,400.00 | 23,400.00 |
| Books and other instructional aids | | 800.00 | 800.00 |
| Scholars' Supplies | | 1,200.00 | 1,200.00 |
| Other instructional expense | | 715.00 | 715.00 |
| Salaries of Janitors | | 1,315.00 | 1,315.00 |
| Fuel or heat | | 1,625.00 | 1,625.00 |
| Water, lights and other expenses | | 629.00 | 629.00 |
| Repairs and replacements | | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| Health Supervision | | 470.00 | 470.00 |
| Transportation | | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 |
| Tuition | 25,060.00 | | 25,060.00 |
| Special funds activities | | 250.00 | 250.00 |
| Retirement | | 1,525.37 | 1,525.37 |
| Insurance, Bonds and Expenses | | 441.79 | 441.79 |
| New equipment | | 800.00 | 800.00 |
| | | | $67,858.55 |

**Estimated Income of District**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance June 30, 1952 | 250.00 | |
| State Aid | 9,940.00 | |
| Elmwood Academy Fund | 50.00 | |
| Rental of Carroll Lot | 100.00 | |
| | | 10,340.00 |
| Total to be appropriated for 1952-1953 | | $57,518.55 |

IYLA L. BARTLETT, Chairman
RUBY K. WOODBURY
CHARLES L. FOOTE
School Board

Boscawen, N. H., February 5, 1952

## RECEIPTS JULY, 1951 to JUNE 30, 1952

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Federal Aid: | | |
| National School Lunch | | $304.89 |
| State Aid: | | |
| Equalization and Emergency | | 10,463.46 |
| Local Taxation: | | |
| Current Appropriation | | 52,895.19 |
| Other Sources: | | |
| Trust Funds | 50.00 | |
| Other | 138.47 | |
| | | 188.47 |
| Total receipts from all sources | | $63,852.01 |
| Cash on hand July 1, 1951 | | 339.18 |
| | | $64,191.19 |

### Explanation of Difference Between Net (Actual) Expenditures and Gross Transactions

| Receipts | | Payments | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Net Receipts July 1, 1952 | $64,191.19 | Net Payments plus cash on hand June 30, 1952 | $64,191.19 |
| Receipts from "In & Out" Transactions | 160.66 | "In and Out" Payments | 160.66 |
| Tot. Gross Income | $64,351.85 | Tot. Gross Payments | $64,351.85 |

## BALANCE SHEET
### June 30, 1952

| Assets | | Liabilities | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1952 | $305.83 | Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities) | $324.67 |
| Accounts due district from State | 18.84 | | |
| GRAND TOTAL | $324.67 | GRAND TOTAL | $324.67 |

## PAYMENTS JULY 1, 1951 to JUNE 30, 1952

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Administration: | | |
| Salaries of district officers | $206.00 | |
| Superintendent's salary (local share) | 749.81 | |
| Tax for Statewide Supervision | 686.00 | |
| Salaries of other administrative personnel | 521.75 | |
| Supplies and Expenses | 667.52 | |
| | | $2,831.08 |
| Instruction: | | |
| Teachers' Salaries | 18,934.49 | |
| Principals' Salaries | 4,800.00 | |
| Books | 1,351.62 | |
| Scholars' Supplies | 2,016.16 | |
| Supplies and other expenses | 529.46 | |
| | | 27,631.73 |
| Operation of School Plant: | | |
| Salaries of janitors | 1,370.00 | |
| Fuel or heat | 1,907.18 | |
| Water, lights, supplies and exp. | 494.45 | |
| | | 3,771.63 |
| Maintenance of School Plant: | | |
| Repairs and Replacements | 2,779.15 | 2,779.15 |
| Auxiliary Activities: | | |
| Health Supervision | 457.99 | |
| Transportation | 4,938.52 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tuition | 18,358.15 | |
| Special Activities and Special Funds | 386.28 | |
| | | 24,140.94 |
| Fixed Charges: | 1,849.37 | 1,849.37 |
| Capital Outlay: | 881.46 | 881.46 |
| Total Payments for All Purposes | | $63,885.36 |
| Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1952 | | 305.83 |
| GRAND TOTAL | | $64,191.19 |

# ITEMIZED REPORT OF BOSCAWEN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Payments July 1, 1951 to June 30, 1952

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries of district officers | | |
| Clerk (DWS) | $ 3.00 | |
| Moderator (LS) | 3.00 | |
| Auditors (CB & MR) | 10.00 | |
| Treasurer (GB) | 50.00 | |
| Charles L. Foote | 35.00 | |
| Iyla L. Bartlett | 35.00 | |
| Ruby K. Woodbury | 70.00 | |
| | | $206.00 |
| Superintendent's salary (local share) | | 749.81 |
| Tax for Statewide Supervision | | 686.00 |
| Salaries of other adminstrative personnel | | |
| Superintendent's Sec'y (local share) | 441.75 | |
| School Census (RKW) | 65.00 | |
| Truant Officer (RL) | 15.00 | |
| | | 521.75 |
| Supplies and Expenses | 667.52 | 667.52 |
| | | $2,831.08 |
| Instruction | | |
| Teachers' Salaries | | |
| Ruth Bugbee | 500.00 | |
| Hilda O. Dearborn | 2,200.00 | |
| Nellie F. Frost | 2,300.00 | |
| Cora Hardy | 2,300.00 | |
| Elizabeth MacDonald | 2,300.00 | |
| Margaret M. Miller | 2,300.00 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Lora Olsen | 2,300.00 | |
| Marion D. Sanderson | 2,300.00 | |
| Ida L. Tenney | 2,300.00 | |
| Substitutes | 134.49 | |
| | $18,934.49 | |
| Principals' Salaries | | |
| John McDaniel | 2,300.00 | |
| Robert Morrissey | 2,500.00 | |
| | $4,800.00 | |
| | | 23,734.49 |
| Books | 1,351.62 | |
| Scholars' Supplies | 2,016.16 | |
| Supplies and other expenses | 529.46 | |
| | | 3,897.24 |
| | | 27,631.73 |
| Operation of School Plant | | |
| Salaries of Janitors | | |
| Florence Paddleford | 800.00 | |
| Robert A. Lawrence | 500.00 | |
| Fremont Gagnon | 70.00 | |
| | | 1,370.00 |
| Fuel or Heat | | |
| A. N. Cleveland | 1,907.18 | 1,907.18 |
| Water, Lights, Supplies & Expenses | | |
| Water | 40.50 | |
| Concord Electric Co. | 363.87 | |
| Miscellaneous | 90.08 | |
| | | 494.45 |

Repairs and Replacements

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wilfred Carr | | 1.50 | |
| A. N. Cleveland | | 5.00 | |
| Concord Lumber Company | | 26.77 | |
| Cummings and Taylor | | 55.00 | |
| Richard Davis | | 59.50 | |
| Eisenhaur's | | 52.50 | |
| Elmer S. Ellsworth | | 6.00 | |
| John L. Fahey | | 47.75 | |
| Hervey S. Folsom | | | |
| Labor | 899.20 | | |
| Paid out for labor | 282.55 | | |
| Stock | 511.65 | | |
| | | 1,693.40 | |
| Granite State Asphalt | | 37.80 | |
| George Hancox | | 35.50 | |
| J. I. Holcomb | | 32.50 | |
| Holland Furnace Co. | | 30.00 | |
| Robert A. Lawrence | | 114.30 | |
| George Paddleford | | 188.60 | |
| Joseph C. Roy | | 351.86 | |
| Scotty's Radio | | 37.67 | |
| Clarence Silver | | 3.50 | |
| | | | 2,779.15 |
| | | | 6,550.78 |

Auxiliary Activities

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Health Supervision | | |
| Mary Ormsbee—School Nurse | 450.00 | |
| Expenses | 7.99 | |
| | | 457.99 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Transportation | | |
| Elementary | | |
| Edward Bassett | 1,693.72 | |
| Harry Host | 1,231.20 | |
| George Kenevel | 1,980.00 | |
| | 4,904.92 | |
| High | | |
| Grover Ballou | 20.10 | |
| William Bailey | 13.50 | |
| | 33.60 | 4,938.52 |
| Tuition | | |
| High | | |
| Andover | 225.00 | |
| Concord | 2,103.65 | |
| Franklin | 450.00 | |
| Penacook | 15,379.50 | |
| Warner | 200.00 | |
| | | 18,358.15 |
| Special Activities and Special Funds | | |
| School Lunch Refunds | 304.89 | |
| School Lunch | 46.39 | |
| Miscellaneous | 35.00 | |
| | | 386.28 |
| | | 24,140.94 |
| Fixed Charges | | |
| Retirement | 1,522.39 | |
| Treasurer's Bond | 15.00 | |
| Insurance | 302.98 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| S. B. A. Dues | 5.00 | |
| Miscellaneous | 4.00 | |
| | | 1,849.37 |
| Capital Outlay | | |
| Additions and improvements | 120.75 | |
| New Equipment | | |
| 35 Units (desks and chairs) | 632.72 | |
| 2 Teacher's chairs | 37.48 | |
| Local share of Union equipment | 63.94 | |
| Railway Express | 3.17 | |
| Lawnmower | 23.40 | |
| | | 881.46 |
| Total Payments for all purposes | | 63,885.36 |
| Cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1952) | | 305.83 |
| GRAND TOTAL | | $64,191.19 |

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

July 1, 1951 to June 30, 1952

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1951 | | $53.12 |
| Received from Selectmen | | |
| Current appropriation | $52,895.19 | |
| Received from State Treasurer | | |
| State Aid | 10,749.52 | |
| Tuition Refunds | 37.47 | |
| Income from trust funds | 50.00 | |
| Received from all other sources | 566.55 | |
| Total Receipts | | $64,298.73 |
| TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR | | $64,351.85 |
| LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID | | 64,046.02 |
| BALANCE ON HAND AS OF JUNE 30, 1952 | | $305.83 |

GERTRUDE BOCCIA,
*District Treasurer*

June 30, 1952

### AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Boscawen, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1952 and find them correct in all respects.

July 11, 1952

CHARLES L. BROWN, JR.,
MATTIE L. REARDON,
*Auditors.*

## ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Pupils not absent or tardy for the school year ending June 30, 1952

| | |
|---|---|
| Phyllis Brown | Plains Grammar |
| James Foote | Main Street |
| Warren E. Foote | Main Street |
| Georgia M. Green | Main Street |
| Shirley Gould | Plains Primary |
| Barbara Ham | Plains Primary |
| Edward Ham | Plains Grammar |
| Marlene Hibbard | Plains Grammar |
| Keith Hutchinson | Plains Primary |
| Robert Kelso | Main Street |
| Andrea Lucia | Main Street |
| Linda M. Rule | Main Street |

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## GRADUATES FROM EIGHTH GRADE

June 1952

Lincoln Adams
Byrle Baker
Kenneth Bernier
Conrad Boccia
Shirley Burley
Howard Cate
Margaret Coleman
Marilyn Cook
Ray Fisher
Patricia Garland
Donald Gibeau
Janice Gibeau
Patricia Glover
Richard Goupille
Eleanor Ham
Ida Hammond
Joyce Hosmer
Sylvia Hoyt
Robert Hutchinson
Carol Ann Kenney
Andrea Lucia
Harold Martin
Shirley Martin
Stillman McKerley
Theresa Merchant
Gerald Miller
Sandra Neilson
Elaine Olsen
Carol A. Russell
John Speed
Kathleen Wall
Paul Young

# PUPILS ATTENDING SECONDARY SCHOOLS FALL OF 1952

## Andover High School — Rate $225.00

Paul Fenton, Jr. Grade 11

## Concord High School — Rate $290.00

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lincoln H. Adams, Jr. | Gr. 9 | Barbara E. King | Gr. 12 |
| Lorna Carr | Gr. 10 | Harriet LaFleur | Gr. 11 |
| Beverly C. Hardy | Gr. 10 | Andrea Lee Lucia | Gr. 9 |
| Richard W. Hardy | Gr. 12 | Joan A. Willey | Gr. 11 |

Mary J. George Grade 9

## Franklin High School — Rate $225.00

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Howard Cate | Gr. 9 | Donald Trudeau | Gr. 10 |

Joan White Grade 9

## Penacook High School — Rate $235.00

### Seniors

Katherine Bassett
Marian Brown
Robert Crovo
Edna Dockham
Richard Hardy
Harriet Hibbard
Doris Hosmer
Paul Merchant
Lorene Perkins
Joan Sumner
Mary Young

### Juniors

Clinton Atkinson
Edwin Barrett
Lillian Barrett
Nancy Barrett
Roland Bartlett
Joan Boland
Howard Brown
William Cook
Robert Dukette
Arthur Fontaine
William Fontaine
Lorraine Fredette
Evelyn Glover
David Goodwin
Dwight Kay
Elizabeth McKerley
Beverly Merchant
Dorothy Silver
James Taylor
Robert York

Sophomores

Joyce Annan
Beverly Bailey
Nancy Ballard
Patricia Ballou
Charlotte Capen
Neil Coulson
James Cullen
Norman Cummings
Barbara Fredette
Joseph Gibeau
Alfred Green
Phyllis Martin
Richard Menard
Gwendolyn Robbins
Anne Shafer
Carrol A. Smith
Sarah Sumner
Lawrence Young

Freshmen

Kenneth Bernier
Conrad Boccia
Margaret Coleman
Marilyn Cook
Judith Falby
Patricia Garland
Donald Gibeau
Janice Gibeau
Patricia Glover
Eleanor Ham
Joyce Hosmer
Sylvia Hoyt
Robert Hutchinson
Carol Kenny
Harold Martin
Shirley Martin
Stillman McKerley
Peter McShane
Theresa Merchant
Velma Moses
Sandra Nielsen
Elaine Olsen
Carol Russell
John Speed
Kathleen Wall

SIMONDS FREE HIGH SCHOOL — Rate $225.00

Ray Fisher Gr. 9 Emery Fisher Gr. 10

## SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 46
## SCHOOL CALENDAR
## 1953-1954

Schools open—Wednesday, September 9.

*Holiday—Columbus Day, Monday, October 12.
Teachers' Convention—October 15, 16.
*Holiday—Armistice Day, Wednesday, November 11.
Holiday—Memorial Day, Monday, May 31.

Schools close—Thanksgiving Vacation—Wednesday, November 25th.

Schools open—Monday, November 30ht.

Schools close—Christmas Vacation—Wednesday, December 23rd.

Schools open—Monday, November 30th.

Schools close—Winter Vacation—Friday, February 19th.

Schools open—Monday, March 1.

Schools close—Spring Vacation—Friday, April 23rd.

Schools open—Monday, May 3rd.

Schools close—Friday, June 18 (or after 180 full days are completed)

* At option of local school boards

## THE "NO SCHOOL" SIGNAL

Two strokes of the fire alarm given three times (2-2-2), and the same number of blasts of the siren on Torrent Hose House, is the signal for closing school for one session. Its meaning depends upon the time of sounding.

When sounded at 7:30 in the morning, ALL SCHOOLS in Penacook and Boscawen will be closed for the forenoon session.

When sounded at 11:45 ALL SCHOOLS will be closed for the afternoon session.

Announcement will be made over radio station WKXL at 7:15 and on subsequent announcements of the station.

# REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

*To the Superintendent of Schools:*

The opening of schools in September found several changes in the Boscawen School District. The School Board, after much thought, decided that by closing the Water Street School and the rearranging of the class rooms, that a consolidated program would benefit all.

In May 1952, one week was set aside for registration of all first graders. Parents and children alike were greeted by Mrs. Olsen and the School Nurse. Records were taken and health problems were discussed.

The Nurse visited all classrooms on opening day, met the new teachers, and found all children clean and ready to begin the year's work.

Vaccinations were postponed until December, in compliance with the State Board of Health, but at the present time all are now eligible to attend school.

In October all pupils were weighed and measured by the Nurse, all defects were recorded, and notices sent to parents and follow-up work continues throughout the year. The Massachusetts vision test was given in January, and plans are underway to give the hearing test when the Audiometer is available.

Attendance has been good, but an epidemic of measles and chicken-pox following Christmas vacation caused many absentees. The majority of these pupils have now returned to the classrooms.

The hot lunch programs are a great asset to the health of our boys and girls and much praise should be given to the Mothers' Club, the workers and all who have helped in this program.

The Nurse is able to include the Main Street children in the dental clinic. However, all pupils were privileged to

receive the fluorine treatment given by the State Board of Health Hygienist.

Twelve sick children have been transported home, two have attended the Mental Hygiene clinic, three have received aid through the sight conservation program. Eleven home calls were made to the sick and classrooms were visited as often as possible.

Much progress has been made in the repairs and furnishings of the school buildings, showing the interest of school board members and citizens alike in the education of our children.

The Nurse welcomes consultations at any time and wishes to thank all who have helped in our school health program.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. ORMSBEE, R. N.
*School Nurse*

# REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

*To the School Board and Citizens of the Boscawen School District:*

I am pleased to submit to you my second annual report of the schools in Boscawen.

Due to the good judgment of the citizens of Boscawen the unification of the schools began with the closing of the Water Street School. This made it possible to consolidate the system, grade the schools, reduce the cost of instruction and increase school morale.

These effects have been in evidence throughout the year. There has been definite improvement in instruction due to the fact that each teacher has had only one grade to teach and could, therefore, give more attention to each individual child. The pupils themselves have adjusted nicely to the changes and have profited by intermingling with each other.

The adoption of a salary schedule has been another notable advance. This will continue to encourage teachers to remain in the system, motivate them to greater service, give them assurance that they are being recognized professionally and thus raise the level of educational practice.

The cooperation of the community has been excellent. Its interest in its schools has been clearly shown in many ways during the year and there is every reason to hope that it will continue during the coming years. It is a vital factor in the educational process.

There are, however, some things that should be given consideration if Boscawen is to be forward-looking in its concepts and practices. Education is a primary function of the state, with control resting in the hands of local school boards. All policies pertaining to schools should be under the direction and control of the board and should be subject to board appraisal and approval before being carried out in the schools. Any variation from this concept is not good prac-

tice. This fundamental school board prerogative is always recognized and observed in good school systems.

There is one vital need for Boscawen to consider at this time as it plans for the continual growth of its children, and that is the need for a new school building. This is not a new thought for the citizens of this community, but at this time it is of compelling importance.

Census figures for September 1952 show some facts that have direct bearing on this problem. Note the number of children (and there is every likelihood of there being more rather than less of them if local industries expand) listed up to age of 14 years. Then ask yourselves this question: where shall we put them in a year or so? They must attend school, and the present buildings will not be able to accommodate them.

Enumeration

| Ages, as of Sept. 1, 1952 | Number of Children | | | Number of Children Attending Public Schools | | Number of Children Attending Private Schools | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Total | Boys | Girls | Within the Dist. | Outside the Dist. | Within the Dist. | Outside the Dist. |
| Less than 1 year | 32 | 20 | 12 | | | | |
| 1 year | 40 | 25 | 15 | | | | |
| 2 years | 21 | 13 | 8 | | | | |
| 3 " | 30 | 15 | 15 | | | | |
| 4 " | 29 | 18 | 11 | | | | |
| 5 " | 35 | 19 | 16 | 10 | | | 3 |
| 6 " | 36 | 16 | 20 | 32 | 1 | | 3 |
| 7 " | 30 | 21 | 9 | 28 | | | 2 |
| 8 " | 30 | 18 | 12 | 29 | | | 1 |
| 9 " | 33 | 16 | 17 | 30 | | | 3 |
| 10 " | 31 | 13 | 18 | 29 | | | 2 |
| 11 " | 44 | 14 | 30 | 37 | | | 7 |
| 12 " | 30 | 10 | 20 | 29 | 1 | | |
| 13 " | 30 | 14 | 16 | 17 | 13 | | |
| 14 " | 25 | 13 | 12 | 7 | 17 | | 1 |
| Totals | 476 | 245 | 231 | 248 | 32 | | 22 |

Right now we can take care of them by using every bit of available space at both schools for classroom purposes. This but a stop-gap for the present moment. The problem is acute and one that needs immediate attention in terms of planning for the emergency.

Look at some of the high spots in the figures shown. There are 40 1-year olds coming along. These would require two teachers and two classrooms where now one of each is being used. Next, look at the number of 5-year olds in the district. There are 35. Of these three are being cared for through private school attendance. That leaves 32—a maximum for any first grade teacher to handle. Also, the 11-year old group of 44 children, 37 of which are in our public schools, is a very large class.

Now if new families move in, there must of necessity be an increase in the number of children of elementary school age who will attend public school. So from the point of view of numbers, there is a genuine need for providing housing for them.

Another factor of major importance is the condition of your present buildings. They are both old and need constant maintenance to make them usable. The rooms in them are too small for present day classrooms. Modern concepts in education require larger room space for childen. For 5½ hours a day these children live in these rooms. They should be adequate quarters and should contain the best possible equipment for use of both child and teacher. These things cost money it is true, but they are essential to a community who wants the best schools for its children.

Delaying construction could also mean additional increased cost of building. Economy is often secured through using good judgment in when to build school houses. Opposition to a program of construction could mean greatly increased expenditures with costs rising steadily as time goes by. When construction comes with too little planning and because it is forced upon a community, it generally is more

expensive. Good common sense can save people money in this matter of building schools. When to build, what to build, and where to build are essential questions for the people to consider and decide upon.

With these thoughts in mind, and with the welfare of the children as their primary factor for consideration, the citizens of Boscawen will, I am sure, give serious thought to the problem.

It is my understanding that there has already been some study given to this matter. I recommend that it be given more study. It is suggested that a committee of six members be selected at this district meeting to work with the local school board in an advisory capacity to consider the construction of a new school and to report its recommendations at the next annual meeting.

Adequate provision for the education of its children is one of the greatest contributions a community can make. The children of today are the men and women of tomorrow. Educational opportunities for them now offer the best insurance for their continued growth and development which may flower in achievement that will bring invaluable returns to the local community in later years.

I want to express my appreciation to the good citizens of Boscawen, to the loyal teachers of the schools and to the local school board for its help and inspiration given me during the past year. Without it my work is futile and meaningless. With it, our progress in developing a better school system is assured.

Repectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. HOUNSELL
*Superintendent of Schools*

February 27, 1953

## ATTENDANCE TABLE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1952

| SCHOOLS | Length of school in weeks | Whole No. different pupils registered | | | Average daily attendance | Average daily absence | Average daily membership | Per cent of attendance | No. of cases of tardiness | No. of visits by Superintendent | No. of visits by School Board | No. of visits by others | No. of pupils not absent or tardy | No. of visits by School Nurse |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | Boys | Girls | | | | | | | | | | |
| Main St., Grade 1 | 37 | 23 | 13 | 10 | 18.25 | 1.51 | 19.76 | 92.46 | 10 | 7 | 3 | 74 | 0 | 15 |
| Main St., Grade 2 | 37 | 19 | 12 | 7 | 17.74 | 1.09 | 18.86 | 94.19 | 19 | 5 | 2 | 47 | 0 | 4 |
| Main St., Grade 3 | 37 | 19 | 11 | 8 | 17.65 | .83 | 18.48 | 95.5 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 9 |
| Main St., Grade 4-5 | 37 | 27 | 15 | 12 | 25.80 | 1.20 | 27. | 95.53 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 26 | 2 | 15 |
| Main St., Grade 5-6 | 37 | 30 | 13 | 17 | 26.87 | 1.14 | 28.01 | 95.94 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 21 | 1 | 8 |
| Main St., Grade 7 | 37 | 34 | 19 | 15 | 29.31 | 2.96 | 32.27 | 90.82 | 11 | 7 | 4 | 20 | 1 | 9 |
| Main St., Grade 8 | 37 | 32 | 13 | 19 | 29.44 | 1.67 | 31.11 | 94.63 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 11 |
| Plains Grammar | 37 | 30 | 13 | 17 | 28.39 | 1.29 | 29.60 | 95.93 | 40 | 14 | 2 | 21 | 3 | 19 |
| Plains Primary | 37 | 25 | 14 | 11 | 19.42 | 1.47 | 20.89 | 92. | 82 | 14 | 1 | 48 | 3 | 19 |
| Water Street | 37 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 11.32 | .68 | 12.00 | 94. | 7 | 5 | 1 | 27 | 0 | 11 |
| ENTIRE DISTRICT | 37 | 251 | 129 | 122 | 224.19 | 13.84 | 237.98 | 94.1 | 191 | 75 | 20 | 302 | 12 | 120 |

# REPORT OF SUPVERVISOR OF MUSIC

*To the Superintendent of Schools:*

In my first report that dates from September 1952, I find the condition of music in the public schools of Boscawen good.

I intend to set up an outline of music teaching that will include all the necessary requirements for each grade. Each teacher will then know what rhythms, intervals, and other music theory will be expected to be taught in that particular grade. In this way we can be sure that none of the elementary factors of music reading will be unintentionally left out before the young people enter the junior high and high school grades.

I am very happy to state that when the instrumental plan for the teaching of band instruments was first introduced, I ran into a great deal of interest and enthusiasm. To encourage this enthusiasm I asked that a demonstration of band instruments be held before all the children from the fourth grade to the eighth grade. A demonstration was thus held in October to the delight of all the students. Instruments were bought, rented, borrowed, and brought out of moth balls in this drive.

Competent instrumental teachers were selected by the Supervisor of Music to teach these young people. There are Mr. Raymond Ladieu, teacher of brass instruments; Mr. Thomas Freeman, teacher of drum; Mr. Harry Surabian, Jr., teacher of woodwind instruments. Private and class lessons on musical instruments began shortly after the demonstration.

The purpose of the instrumental program was to give an opportunity to the students to learn to play a musical instrument at a nominal fee for a lesson without having to go far distances elsewhere for the same musical education.

Our aim is to train these people to play well enough to play in a band when they reach high school age.

Just before the Thanksgiving holiday I called for the first meeting of all these people together to form an elementary band. At present, there are some thirteen boys and girls from Boscawen taking part in this band at Penacook.

A rythm band has been formed in the third grade and will work with the symphonet band that is in the fourth grade.

The sixth, seventh, and eighth grades assisted by the fourth grade symphonet band put on a very well-liked Christmas Candlelight Service in the Town Hall. An equally delightful production was the Minstrel Show put on earlier in the Town Hall.

There is need for pianos in our school rooms and also maintenance of the ones we have now. I recommend that new music books be given the sixth grade, the ones in use now are not of sixth grade material.

I have purchased a tape recorder of my own which I intend to use in the schools. This instrument has a great number of uses, mainly it will be used to correct faults in singing groups.

I would like to thank you, Mr. Hounsell, and all the other teachers here for making my first year at Boscawen a very enjoyable and educational one.

Respectfully submitted ,

HARRY SURABIAN, JR.
*Supervisor of Music*

February 14, 1953

## Births Registered in the Town of Boscawen, for the Year Ending December 31, 1952

| Date of Birth | Place of Birth | Name of Child (If any) | Sex | Liv'g or still b'n | No. of Child | Color | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother | Color | Residence of Parents | Occupation of Father | Birthplace of Father | Birthplace of Mother |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. 18 | Concord | Almon James Knowlton, Jr. | M | L | | W | Almon J. Knowlton | Irene Alice Couch | All White | Boscawen | Boss B. W. W. | West Concord | Salisbury |
| Feb. 16 | Concord | Gene Paul Nadeau | M | L | 5 | W | Melbourne H. Nadeau | Dorothy F. Roberts | | Boscawen | Sorter | Suncook | Bangor, Me. |
| Feb. 23 | Concord | Thomas John Bartlett | M | L | 1 | W | Harland L. Bartlett | Ann Lorne Bartlett | | Boscawen | Fork lift | Boscawen | Springfield, Mass. |
| Mar. 20 | Concord | Nancy Lee Sawyer | F | L | 2 | W | Robert R. Sawyer | Evelyn Young | | Boscawen | Electrician | Sutton | Woodstock |
| Apr. 12 | Concord | David Anthony Kenney | M | L | 2 | W | Philip James Kenney | Norma Carol Goss | | Boscawen | Mechanic | Concord | Hanover |
| Apr. 13 | Concord | Noela Victoria Gagnon | F | L | 6 | W | Joseph Gagnon | Marion L. Alexander | | Boscawen | Laborer | Suncook | Enfield |
| Apr. 24 | Concord | Pamela Sanborn Brown | F | L | 2 | W | Chas. L. Brown, Jr. | Mildred C. Sanborn | | Boscawen | Tax Auditor | Newport | N. Y. City, N. Y. |
| Apr. 27 | Concord | Douglas Ray Egounis | M | L | | | Raymond G. Egounis | Loda I. Pastuszozak | | Boscawen | Clerk | Mass. | Franklin |
| June 23 | Concord | Gail Cynthia Simpson | F | L | 2 | W | Grover C. Simpson | Ruby Etta Geer | | Boscawen | Supply sergeant | Concord | Contoocook |
| Aug. 30 | Concord | Gail Susan Welcome | F | L | 1 | W | Willian T. Welcome | Beverly A. Bartlett | | Boscawen | Shipper | Concord | Franklin |
| Sept. 25 | Concord | Sharon Ann Silver | F | L | | W | William C. Silver | Shirley R. Hibbard | | Boscawen | Caretaker | Concord | Boscawen |
| Sept. 27 | Concord | Margaret Nellie Sweeney | F | L | 7 | W | John J. Sweeney | Alice G. Tinker | | Boscawen | Machinist | Salem, Mass. | Salisbury |
| Nov. 10 | Concord | Peter Gregory Heath | M | L | 1 | W | Donald. E Heath | Eileen M. Dunmore | | Boscawen | Garage man | Concord | So. Royalton, Vt. |
| Nov. 10 | Franklin | Bruce Charles Houston | M | L | 3 | W | Earl Walter Houston | Carole Janice Cole | | Boscawen | Painter | N. H. | Vermont |
| Nov. 12 | Concord | Judy Diane Merchant | F | L | 3 | W | Amos John Merchant | Anita T. Birard | | Boscawen | Laborer | Penacook | Whitefield |
| Dec. 27 | Concord | George Frank Burley | M | L | 1 | W | Harold F. Burley | Doris Marie Beane | | Boscawen | Atkinson Co. | Boscawen | Franklin |

## Births Registered at the Merrimack County Farm For the Year Ending December 31, 1952

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. 10 | Merr. Co. Hosp. | Cynthia Gail Austin | F | L | | W | Gerald Austin | Phyllis Skillin | White | Bow | Lumber mill | Plymouth | Garland, Me. |
| Feb. 19 | Merr. Co. Hosp. | Baby Michand | F | L | 1 | W | | Elizabeth Michand | | Pittsfield | | | Milton |
| Apr. 14 | Merr. Co. Hosp. | Marie Elaine Sargent | F | L | 4 | W | Lawrence S. Sargent | Edna Sargent | | Franklin | Franklin | Franklin | London |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE V. FLINT, *Town Clerk.*

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Boscawen, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1952

| Date | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence of each at time of marriage | Age | Color of each | Occupation of Groom and Bride | Place of Birth of each | Name of Parents | Birthplace of Parents | Occupation | No. Marriage | Name, Residence, and Official Stations of Persons by whom married |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. 19 | Concord | Ernest Paul Jones | Concord | 27 | W | Machinist | Vermont | Clayton H. Jones | Vt. | | 1 | Clinton L. Morrill |
| | | | | | | | | Barbara Cordinar | Scotland | | | Clergyman |
| | | Lola Blanche Burley | Boscawen | 18 | W | Drug store | Grafton | Ralph Burley | N. H. | | 1 | Concord |
| | | | | | | | | Nettie Lord | N. H. | | | |
| Jan. 25 | Concord | Richard Moschan | Worc't'r, Mass. | 20 | W | Plumbing | Mass. | Charles Moschan | Austria | | 1 | Raymond K. Perkins |
| | | | | | | | | Maria Osler | Italy | | | Justice of Peace |
| | | Lois L. Lukala | Boscawen | 18 | W | At home | Mass. | Wilbur E. Lukala | Mass. | | 1 | Concord |
| | | | | | | | | Linnea S. Johnson | Mass. | | | |
| Jan. 25 | Concord | Earl F. Griend | Concord | 27 | W | Tannery | Deering | Paul Grund | Me. | | 1 | Chas. P. MacGregor |
| | | | | | | | | Hilda M. Ryder | Mass. | | | Minister |
| | | Jean L. Lamarre | Boscawen | 22 | W | Beede Elec. | Concord | Joseph S. Lamarre | Penacook | | 1 | Concord |
| | | | | | | | | Mary L. Easter | Weirs | | | |
| Jan. 26 | Concord | Arnold R. Martin | Boscawen | 28 | W | Farmer | Canada | Peter J. Martin | Canada | | 1 | Roger W. Barney |
| | | | | | | | | Lulu MacDougal | New Jersey | | | Epis. Minister |
| | | Arlene R. Corriveau | Penacook | 24 | W | N. E. Tel. | Penacook | Wilfred Corriveau | R. I. | | 1 | Concord |
| | | | | | | | | Delia Chennette | Penacook | | | |
| Feb. 9 | Penacook | Napoleon Dennis | Boscawen | 71 | W | Laborer | Boscawen | Charles Dennis | Canada | | 2 | J. K. O'Connor |
| | | | | | | | | Philamine Dube | Canada | | | Priest |
| | | Lucia Lacroix | Boscawen | 70 | W | Housework | Canada | Joseph Marchey | Canada | | 2 | Penacook |
| | | | | | | | | | Canada | | | |
| Feb. 10 | Franklin | Robert A. Bernier | Boscawen | 20 | W | State Emp. | N. H. | Archie Bernier | N. Y. | | 1 | Arthur O. Houde |
| | | | | | | | | Elsie B. Merchant | N. H. | | | R. C. Priest |
| | | Dolores M. Nadeau | Franklin | 20 | W | Office clerk | N. H. | Hormidas Nadeau | Canada | | 1 | Franklin |
| | | | | | | | | Eugenie Pinard | Canada | | | |
| Feb. 10 | Penacook | Donald E. Wood | Boscawen | 20 | W | Cab driver | Dover | Byron E. Wood | Gonic | | 1 | William R. Keeffe |
| | | | | | | | | Gertrude E. Miller | Worcester, Mass. | | | Minister |
| | | Clara B. Keniston | Boscawen | 16 | W | Student | Concord | Everett Keniston | N. H. | | 1 | Penacook |
| | | | | | | | | Lena Bassett | N. H. | | | |
| Feb. 16 | Littleton | Wallace A. Titcomb | Salem | 30 | W | Junk dealer | Salem | Harold Titcomb | N. H. | | 1 | William T. Wallace |
| | | | | | | | | Lena Weibel | N. Y. City | | | Clergyman |
| | | Lucille A. Burt | Boscawen | 25 | W | Mill worker | West Lebanon | Charles Burt | N. H. | | 2 | Littleton |
| | | | | | | | | Hattie Ingalls | N. H. | | | |

## MARRIAGES — CONTINUED

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 27 | Canterbury | Richard J. Evans | Concord | 56 | W | Salesman | Concord | George Evans | England | | 4 | J. Lincoln Thomas Minister Boscawen |
| | | | | | | | | | Emma Grant | England | | | |
| | | | Mary Bartlett | Boscawen | 46 | W | Hairdresser | Plymouth | John J. Davy | N. Y. | | 4 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Clara Champeaus | N. H. | | | |
| Apr. | 11 | Boscawen | Harold M. Hardy | Boscawen | 21 | W | U. S. Army | N. H. | Harold W. Hardy | N. H. | | 1 | J. Lincoln Thomas Minister Boscawen |
| | | | | | | | | | Bernice L. Sanborn | N. H. | | | |
| | | | Rhoda E. Woodbury | Boscawen | 18 | W | Operator | N. H. | Lester P. Woodbury | N. H. | | 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Ruby M. Keneson | N. H. | | | |
| Apr. | 26 | Penacook | Donald P. Corbett | Penacook | 24 | W | Student | N. H. | William Corbett | N. H. | | 1 | F. J. Maney |
| | | | | | | | | | Annie Turcotte | Me. | | | |
| | | | Mary E. Boland | Boscawen | 19 | W | Hoyt Elec. | Mass. | Joseph Boland | Mass. | | 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Annie Murphy | | | | |
| Apr. | 26 | Keene | Robert C. Langtry | Keene | 21 | W | Student | Mass. | Chester Langtry | Mass. | | 1 | Edward C. Maury Clergyman |
| | | | | | | | | | Marion Waterhouse | Mass. | | | |
| | | | Winifred Woodbury | Boscawen | 21 | W | Student | Vermont | Lester P. Woodbury | Vt. | | 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Ruby M. Keneson | N. H. | | | |
| Apr. | 26 | Boscawen | Chas. Goodnow III | Boscawen | 30 | W | Laborer | Mass. | Charles F. Goodnow | Me. | | 1 | J. Lincoln Thomas Clergyman Boscawen |
| | | | | | | | | | Dorothy H. Eaton | Mass. | | | |
| | | | Hilda F. Woodbury | Boscawen | 24 | W | Bookkeeper | Vermont | Lester P. Woodbury | Vt. | | 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Ruby M. Keniston | N. H. | | | |
| May | 3 | Rumney | Stanley T. Krause | Franklin | 25 | W | Construction | N. H. | Julian Krause | Poland | | 1 | Leslie L. Bunker Justice of Peace Rumney |
| | | | | | | | | | Clara Kus | Poland | | | |
| | | | Lorraine G. Dorval | Boscawen | 18 | W | At home | N. H. | Charles Dorval | Canada | | 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Grace Gilman | N. H. | | | |
| May | 9 | Concord | Paul J. Parmenter | Boscawen | 67 | W | Clerk | N. H. | George R. Parmenter | Vt. | | 3 | Raymond K. Perkins Justice of Peace Concord |
| | | | | | | | | | Ellen S. Holmes | N. H. | | | |
| | | | Clara M. Lacaillade | Concord | 50 | W | Clerk | N. H. | Rocco Morono | Italy | | 2 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Angelina Grazzino | Italy | | | |
| May | 23 | Belmont | Warren L. Kingsbury | Penacook | 21 | W | U. S. Navy | Conn. | Edward P. Kingsbury | Conn. | | 1 | Fredrick Fitzpatrick Bap. Minister Belmont |
| | | | | | | | | | Edna Brockway | Conn. | | | |
| | | | Patricia D. Hamel | Boscawen | 22 | W | Student nurse | Franklin | Ernest C. Hamel | N. H. | | 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Eva M. Braley | N. H. | | | |
| June | 1 | Boscawen | Orrin L. Dyer, Jr. | Reading, Mass. | 22 | W | U. S. Air Force | Reading, Mass. | Orrin L. Dyer | Mass. | | 1 | J. Lincoln Thomas Minister Boscawen |
| | | | | | | | | | Alice Robinson | Canada | | | |
| | | | Herberta L. Longaver | Boscawen | 21 | W | Elec. worker | Meredith | Henry O. Foote | N. H. | | 2 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Roseanna Mitchell | Canada | | | |
| June | 13 | Belmont | Randall H. Greeley | Boscawen | 58 | W | Druggist | N. H. | Leon M. Greeley | N. H. | | 2 | Bernard Quimby Belmont |
| | | | | | | | | | Emma L. Randall | N. H. | | | |
| | | | Cecille B. Greeley | Tilton | 54 | W | At home | N. H. | Sumner Blackstone | N. H. | | 2 | |
| | | | | | | | | | Lillian Gibbs | N. H. | | | |

| Date | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence of each at time of marriage | Age | Color of each | Occupation of Groom and Bride | Place of Birth of each | Name of Parents | Birthplace of Parents | Occupation | No. Marriage | Name, Residence, and Official Stations of Persons by whom married |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| June 2[illegible] | Penacook | Henry J. Cloutier | Alexandria | 26 | W | Setup man | Penacook | Adelard N. Cloutier | Quebec | | 1 | J. K. O'Connor |
| | | | | | | | | Regina Carrier | Quebec | | | R. C. Priest |
| | | Phyllis C. Cheney | Boscawen | 19 | W | Nurse | Franklin | William W. Cheney | N. H. | | 1 | Penacook |
| | | | | | | | | Helen Krauz | Poland | | | |
| July 20 | Rye | Clayton J. Longver | Boscawen | 20 | W | U. S. Navy | N. H. | John C. Longver | N. H. | | 1 | B. Franklin Lewis |
| | | | | | | | | Vivian I. Merchant | N. H. | | | Minister |
| | | Phyllis O. Smith | Rye | 19 | W | Clerk | Mass. | Elliott L. Smith | Maine | | 1 | Rye |
| | | | | | | | | Helen E. Pierce | Mass. | | | |
| July 26 | Franklin | Vernon Stebbins | Boscawen | 24 | W | Truck driver | N. H. | Fredrick Stebbins | N. H. | | 1 | Noble O. Bowlby |
| | | | | | | | | Lena Ouelette | N. H. | | | Clergyman |
| | | Barbara J. Folsom | Franklin | 19 | W | Waitress | N. H. | Hervey Folsom | N. H. | | 1 | Franklin |
| | | | | | | | | Ruth Coulson | Mass. | | | |
| Aug. 2 | Penacook | Robert J. LaClair | Penacook | 19 | W | Carpenter | N. H. | Nelson LaClair | Vt. | | 1 | J. K. O'Connor |
| | | | | | | | | Jennie O'Brien | N. H. | | | R. C. Priest |
| | | Dolores I. Merchant | Boscawen | 20 | W | Assembler | N. H. | Amos P. Merchant | N. H. | | 1 | Penacook |
| | | | | | | | | Della Rule | Mass. | | | |
| Sept. 2 | Penacook | Rudolph H. York | Penacook | 20 | W | U. S. Army | Concord | Charles L. Foote | N. H. | | 1 | George Donnelly |
| | | | | | | | | Helen Meader | Vt. | | | R. C. Priest |
| | | Tresa M. Foote | Boscawen | 23 | W | Stenographer | Concord | Edward H. York | N. H. | | 1 | Penacook |
| | | | | | | | | Annie Fournier | N. H. | | | |
| Sept. 26 | Boscawen | Michael Costa | Boscawen | 21 | W | U. S. Army | N. H. | Peter J. Costa | Albania | | 1 | Oliver C. Northcott |
| | | | | | | | | Mary Vassillion | Albania | | | Minister |
| | | Verna A. Martin | Boscawen | 20 | W | Sales clerk | P.E.I., Canada | Peter J. Martin | Canada | | 1 | Boscawen |
| | | | | | | | | Lulu M. MacDougall | N. J. | | | |
| Sept. 21 | Penacook | Kenneth R. Marshall | Boscawen | 22 | W | Farmer | N. H. | Walter E. Marshall | N. H. | | 1 | Oliver C. Northcott |
| | | | | | | | | Bessie G. Bowlby | Mass. | | | Minister |
| | | Kathryn E. Bellman | Penacook | 19 | W | Bank clerk | New Jersey | Otto J. Bellman | N. Y. | | 1 | Boscawen |
| | | | | | | | | Bessie M. Hughes | N. J. | | | |
| Sept. 27 | Concord | Harvey Hollins, Jr. | Boscawen | 20 | W | Mechanic | Concord | Harvey A. Hollins | N. H. | | 1 | Edward H. Brewster |
| | | | | | | | | Irene Derroch | England | | | Minister |
| | | Evelyn G. French | Boscawen | 19 | W | Office | Mass. | Charles C. French | N. H. | | 1 | Concord |
| | | | | | | | | Grace Andrews | Maine | | | |
| Oct. 3 | Concord | Gerald R. Reilly | Newton | 22 | W | Truck driver | Mass. | Leo B. Reilly | Mass. | | 1 | Raymond K. Perkins |
| | | | | | | | | Elinor M. Reynolds | Mass. | | | Justice of Peace |
| | | Phyllis A. Murphy | Newton | 18 | W | At home | Mass. | George Murphy | Mass. | | 1 | Concord |
| | | | | | | | | Alice A. Josephson | Mass. | | | |
| Oct. [illegible] | Concord | Russell C. Cadman | Newton | 21 | W | Factory worker | Concord | Harold W. Cadman | Mass. | | 1 | Raymond K. Perkins |
| | | | | | | | | Mary E. Deagle | Mass. | | | Justice of Peace |
| | | Alice C. Murphy | Newton | 19 | W | Factory worker | Mass. | George Murphy | Mass. | | 1 | Concord |
| | | | | | | | | Alice A. Josephson | Mass. | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oct. 1 | Boscawen | Richard F. Houston | Boscawen | 25 | W | Hospital worker | Boscawen | Walter E. Houston | Penacook | | 2 | J. Lincoln Thomas |
| | | | | | | | | Grace M. Bartlett | Mass. | | | Minister of Gospel |
| | | Nancy E. Krauz | Boscawen | 26 | W | Hospital worker | Nashua | Charles Wright | Mass. | | 2 | Boscawen |
| | | | | | | | | Dorothy Seymour | R. I. | | | |
| Oct. 2 | Hillsboro | Robert Clouette | Penacook | 48 | W | Gardener | N. H. | Arsene Clouette | Mass. | | 2 | Walter Swank |
| | | | | | | | | Delphine Rainville | N. H. | | | Cong'l. Clergyman |
| | | Ona N. Atkinson | Boscawen | 27 | W | Nurse | N. H. | Clinton H. Atkinson | N. H. | | 1 | Hillsboro |
| | | | | | | | | Hattie Garland | N. H. | | | |
| Nov. 5 | Boscawen | William H. Sears | Everett, Mass. | 28 | W | Auto machinist | Mass. | Anthony F. Sears | Mass. | | 1 | Raymond K. Perkins |
| | | | | | | | | Helen R. Sullivan | Mass. | | | Justice of Peace |
| | | Katherine T. Greene | Malden, Mass. | 32 | W | At home | Mass. | Charles Greene | Mass. | | 1 | Concord |
| | | | | | | | | Elizabeth Sullivan | Mass. | | | |
| Dec. 13 | Laconia | Eugene L. Fallstick | Boscawen | 23 | W | Paddle puller | Mass. | George H. Fallstich | Mass. | | 1 | E. Ray Burchell |
| | | | | | | | | Hazel E. Mabbe | Mass. | | | Minister |
| | | Jennie B. Grover | Boscawen | 23 | W | Housewife | N. H. | George L. Grover | N. H. | | 1 | Laconia |
| | | | | | | | | Pauline M. Beane | N. H. | | | |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE V. FLINT, *Town Clerk.*

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Boscawen, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1952

| Date | Place of Death | Name and Surname of the Deceased | Age: Years | Age: Months | Age: Days | Place of Birth | Sex & Cond.: Sex | Sex & Cond.: Color | Sex & Cond.: Single, Mar. Wid. | Occupation | Place of Birth: Father | Place of Birth: Mother | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Feb. 19 | Boscawen | Charles B. Carson | 83 | | | Pittsfield | M | W | W | Mach. Operator | | | Benjamin Carson | Olive J. Barton |
| Feb. 27 | Boscawen | Lewis B. Knapp | 70 | | | Lowville, N. Y. | M | W | M | Retail grocer | | | Rev. Frank Knapp | Elizabeth Barney |
| Mar. 1 | Boscawen | Sarah Geroux | 79 | | | Northfield, Vt. | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Frank Bliss | Margaret Duval |
| Mar. 17 | Boscawen | May A. Varney | 81 | 6 | 7 | Franklin | F | W | W | Housewife | | | David Cummings | Ellen Brown |
| Mar. 19 | Boscawen | David B. Wood | 77 | | | Lester, Mass. | M | W | M | Mule spinner | | | Eugene Boisjoli | Josephine Renault |
| Mar. 25 | Boscawen | Mary E. Healey | 82 | 4 | 17 | Bethel, Mich. | F | W | W | Housewife | | | James Shephard | Frances Elliott |
| Apr. 4 | Boscawen | Adeline H. Carson | 73 | | | Goffstown | F | W | W | Housekeeper | | | Herbert A. Remick | Adeline Woodbury |
| Apr. 16 | Boscawen | Ellis Crossley | 77 | | | England | M | W | S | Spin'g Rm. Fixer | | | Unknown | Unknown |
| Apr. 26 | Concord | Elizabeth Clark | 35 | | | | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Elizah Taft | Abbie Sargent |
| May 4 | Boscawen | Philip L. Chenette | 79 | | | Norton Mills, Vt. | M | W | W | Mill worker | | | David Chenette | Philomenia Drew |
| May 12 | Boscawen | Olaf S. Johanson | 73 | 7 | 26 | Goteb'g, Sweden | M | W | S | Farmer | | | Olaf F. Johanson | Alina Aspelin |
| May 14 | Boscawen | Leon M. Greeley | 86 | | | Webster | M | W | W | Printer | | | Nathaniel R. Greeley | Emma Call |
| May 23 | Boscawen | Harmon F. Glidden | 74 | | | So. Tamworth | M | W | W | Retired | | | Frank O. Glidden | Margaret Woodman |
| June 5 | Boscawen | Wallace H. Dyer | 68 | | | Canada | M | W | W | R. R. retired | | | Joseph H. Dyer | Mary England |
| June 9 | Boscawen | Charles E. Cushins | 84 | | | Medford, Mass. | M | W | W | Farmer | | | John B. Cushins | Mary A. Kendrick |
| June 15 | Boscawen | Carrie A. Flanders | 77 | | | Bartlett, Ill. | F | W | W | Housework | | | William W. Flanders | Edna Rawson |
| June 24 | Boscawen | Lillian M. Hastings | 78 | | | Stratford, Vt. | F | W | M | Housewife | | | Stephen Norton | Clara Norton |
| June 25 | Boscawen | Blanche Hooper | 61 | | | Orleans, Vt. | F | W | M | Housewife | | | Edwin Stafford | Julia Tripp |
| July 16 | Boscawen | Bessie T. Alexander | 72 | | | Wh. River, Vt. | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Myron J. Pratt | Jennie L. Currier |
| July 16 | Boscawen | George L. Small | 78 | | | Durham, Me. | M | W | W | Plumb. Heat. Ctr. | | | David M. Small | Julia Blethen |
| July 17 | Concord | Charles L. Jeffroy | 95 | | | Ch'lmsf'd, Mass. | M | W | W | Unknown | | | John Jeffroy | Harriet Sherwood |
| July 19 | Boscawen | David Lynch | 86 | 9 | 4 | Crossingv'lt, Pa. | M | W | W | Farmer | | | David Lynch | Mary McLaughin |
| July 20 | Loudon | Sylvia M. Norris | 52 | | | Webster | F | W | M | Nurse | | | Geo. H. Fairbanks | Mary E. Gerrish |
| July 24 | Boscawen | William T. Woodman | 88 | 9 | 9 | Manchester | M | W | M | Agent | | | Peter A. Woodman | Susan M. Taylor |
| July 24 | Concord | Charles H. Kennett | 86 | | | W. N'wb'y, Mass. | M | W | | Mail carrier | | | William Kennett | Sarah Osgood |
| Aug. 8 | Boscawen | Esther M. Crockett | 93 | 3 | 13 | Cransten, R. I. | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Rev. Hoster Henry | Sarah Prescott |
| Aug. 26 | Boscawen | George Dunbar | 70 | | | Maassachusetts | M | W | M | Teamster | | | Unknown | Unknown |
| Sept. 6 | Manchester | Harris Gregg | 55 | | | New Hampshire | M | W | M | Electrician | | | Harris Gregg | Emiline Annis |
| Sept. 9 | Boscawen | Grace A. Chandler | 73 | | | Dexter, Me. | F | W | M | Housewife | | | Bethuel F. Stearns | Lizzie E. Moore |

## DEATHS — CONTINUED

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| Sept. | 10 | Boscawen | Laura I. Orlinski | 47 | 7 | 24 | Lawrence, Mass. | F | W | M | Housewife | | | Charles Burgess | Emma Feather |
| Sept. | 14 | Concord | Sarah Young | 75 | | | New Jersey | F | W | W | Practical nurse | | | Frank Wells | Unknown |
| Oct. | 4 | Concord | John Knowlton | 93 | | | Lowell, Mass. | M | W | M | Motorman | | | Joseph Knowlton | Lysia A. |
| Oct. | 30 | Boscawen | Ralph T. Sweatt | 59 | | | Boscawen | M | W | M | Farmer | | | Althorne Sweatt | Villa Towne |
| Oct. | 31 | Boscawen | George E. Amor | 83 | | | Lebanon | M | W | W | Wood finisher | | | Felix Amor | Charlotte Taylor |
| Oct. | 31 | Boscawen | David Garrick | 73 | 1 | 30 | Boston, Mass. | M | W | S | Plumber | | | Nathan H. Garrick | Etta Burgess |
| Nov. | 8 | Boscawen | Eva L. Hall | 81 | | | Boscawen | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Leonard Silver | Hannah Gilman |
| Nov. | 15 | Franklin | Bruce C. Houston | | | 5 | Franklin | M | W | S | | | | Earl W. Houston | Carole Cole |
| Nov. | 21 | Boscawen | Elizabeth H. Joslin | 77 | | | Clinton, Me. | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Holt | Unknown |
| Nov. | 27 | Newton, Mass. | George L. Sibley | 77 | | | W. Fairlee, Vt. | M | W | M | Retired | Vermont | Bethlehem | George A. Sibley | Juanita Nourse |
| Dec. | 27 | Boscawen | Elizabeth Colburn | 75 | 5 | 9 | Leeds, England | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Matthew James | Elizabeth Hargraves |
| Dec. | 29 | Concord | Arthur H. Burley | | | 2 | Concord | M | W | S | | | | Harold F. Bean | Doris Marie Beane |

## Deaths Registered at the Merrimack County Farm for the Year Ending December 31, 1952

| Date | Place of Death | Name and Surname of the Deceased | Age: Years | Age: Months | Age: Days | Place of Birth | Sex & Cond.: Sex | Sex & Cond.: Color | Sex & Cond.: Single, Mar. Wid. | Occupation | Place of Birth: Father | Place of Birth: Mother | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
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| Jan. 23 | Boscawen | Alice M. Thompson | 66 | | | Franklin | F | W | S | Mill worker | | | Richard Thompson | Amanda Sargent |
| Jan. 27 | Boscawen | Emanuela Cappuccio | 87 | | | Italy | F | W | W | Housewife | | | | Marie Bellofatto |
| Feb. 14 | Boscawen | Harry E. Colby | 90 | | | Franklin | M | W | M | Blacksmith | | | Hiram Colby | Elvina C. Wallace |
| Mar. 26 | Boscawen | James Locke | 79 | | | Johnson, R. I. | M | W | W | Laborer | | | John Locke | Roseanna Maher |
| Mar. 27 | Boscawen | Albert Jameson | 87 | | | Dunbarton | M | W | D | Laborer | | | Samuel Jameson | Clara |
| May 12 | Boscawen | James Kenney | 77 | | | Bedford | M | W | S | Spinner | | | Patrick Kenney | Katherine Connor |
| June 4 | Boscawen | John W. Shaw | 84 | | | Newbury | M | W | S | Farmer | | | Samuel Shaw | Adelia Colburn |
| June 8 | Boscawen | Lucy Holmes | 53 | | | Warner | F | W | M | Housewife | | | Louis Flanders | Betsy Clarke |
| June 10 | Boscawen | Leon Bedard | 89 | | | Alberta, Can. | W | W | W | Woodsman | | | Pierre Bedard | Olive Lacroix |
| June 25 | Boscawen | Ned Hitchcock | 70 | | | Coventry, Vt. | M | W | D | Carpenter | | | Fred Hitchcock | Jennie Sherry |
| Aug. 2 | Boscawen | Marceline H. Tetreault | 98 | | | Lawr'v'le, P.Q. | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Samuel Florence | Marceline |
| Aug. 20 | Boscawen | Henry F. Bean | 80 | | | Salisbury | M | W | M | Gardener | | | Frank P. Bean | Jennie |
| Sept. 3 | Boscawen | Janet L. Smith | 85 | | | Newfoundland | F | W | W | Housewife | | | Nathaniel Smith | Louise Squires |
| Sept. 11 | Boscawen | Edward J. Coughlin | 61 | | | Lincoln, Vt. | M | W | W | Railroad worker | | | Edward S. Coughlin | Harriett Lourin |
| Sept. 17 | Boscawen | Henry Paradise | 70 | | | West Warwick | M | W | W | Kitchen work | | | Joseph Paradise | Sophie St. Onge |
| Nov. 11 | Boscawen | Ernest Whiting | 54 | | | Canterbury | M | W | M | Laborer | | | Henry Whiting | Minnie Monston |
| Dec. 2 | Boscawen | Walter H. Allen | | | | W. Fairlee, Vt. | M | W | M | Electrician | | | Harper Allen | Margaret |
| Dec. 14 | Boscawen | Abraham Raymond | 81 | | | Canada | M | W | W | Farm laborer | | | Peter Raymond | |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE V. FLINT, *Town Clerk.*